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UNITED STATES WILL NOT "DICKER" WITH GERMANY

DARDANELLES SITUATION GETTING BETTER ALL THE TIME

IMPROVEMENT EACH DAY IN DARDANELLES

Allies Gaining Ground and Consolidating Their Captured Positions.

HOWITZERS ARE USEFUL

Blow Up Ammunition Wagons, Guns, Trenches and Some Emplacements.

[Canadian Press.]

London, May 19.—2:30 p.m.—The following review of recent operations at the Dardanelles was given out today by the official information bureau:

"The following has been received from the Mediterranean force:

"Gen. Cox's brigade repulsed, with heavy loss, an attack on his position made May 12. The following day a double company of Ghurkas advanced over half a mile. The ground thus won was consolidated during the night, in spite of very strong counter-attacks.

"On May 16, the Lancashire territorial division made considerable progress during the night, and on the following night advanced further. The same day our howitzer battery, with the aid of aeroplanes, blew up the ammunition wagons of the Turkish heavy howitzers and later made a direct hit on one of the guns in front of the Australian and New Zealand army corps. The enemy's trenches and a new gun emplacement were demolished by howitzer fire.

"Every day sees an improvement in the Anglo-French position. The enemy are reported as having lost very heavily."

TWO LONDONERS ARE GERMAN PRISONERS

Capt. G. N. Weekes Cables Here—Dick Whetter and Bob Watt Likely Safe.

Prisoners of war is probably the fate of Robert Watt and Richard Whetter, of this city.

"Robert and Dick Whetter reported missing, May 12. Probably prisoners and safe."

This is the text of a cable received today by P. J. Watt, Riverview avenue, from Capt. G. N. Weekes, intelligence officer with the Canadian division overseas, in reply to a cable by Mr. Watt, asking information of his son "Bob" and his chum, "Dick" Whetter, son of H. Frank Whetter, Lorne avenue. Dick Whetter and Bob Watt were lance-corporals in the machine gun section of the 48th Highlanders and the 5th Royal Highlanders, respectively. Their names were listed "missing" in the casualty lists after the battle of Langemarck.

Confident Boys Safe.

Both Mr. Whetter and Mr. Watt are confident that their sons are safe. The cable from Capt. Weekes, although not stating definitely that the two young Londoners are safe, is most encouraging, they believe. So long as no trace of the two men have been found, after several weeks when they were first reported missing, it is almost a certainty that they have been captured by the enemy. In that case, they are no doubt quite safe at least. This is the opinion of Mr. Watt. No other word has been received in London regarding the two men who are reported to be in the hands of the enemy.

LIEUT. WELD WOUNDED IN THE LEFT KNEE

Word Received by Mother Today—Sergt. Davis' Mother Also Hears.

Mrs. Edgar Weld, of Delaware, and Mrs. Edgar Davis, 920 Princess avenue, both received cables today, telling of the wounding of their sons, Lieut. George H. Weld and Sergt. Arthur Davis, respectively. Lieut. Weld, of the 8th Battalion, has been admitted to a London, England, hospital. He is suffering from a gunshot wound in the left knee. Sergt. Davis, of the 1st Battalion, is reported wounded, without any details being given.

BEATTIE WILL IS NOT YET ARRANGED

Settlement Soon, Says Hindley, Who Was Cut Off With $100 Yearly.

Hindley Beattie, son of the late Major Thomas Beattie, M. P., and his lawyers are hopeful of arriving at a settlement of the will of the late Major Beattie shortly. "No definite arrangement has yet been made," Mr. Beattie told The Advertiser today. The estate of Major Beattie was worth in the neighborhood of $100,000. The will was contested by his son, who was cut off with an allowance of only $100 yearly.

ALIENS IN LONDON NOT REGISTERED

Civis Writes to Advertiser, Asking Name of Registrar in This City.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

I see that the registrar of aliens in Toronto has been making an examination of the books of the German Club at Toronto, and has discovered that large payments were made to Germans from the funds of the club.

What I want to know, is the name of the registrar of aliens in this city, if there be such a person. While there is no German club known by a name in this city, it would be well if citizens could know the name of someone to whom they could report any little occurrences that should be brought to his attention. CIVIS.

There is no registrar of aliens in this city, says Police Magistrate Judd.—Editor.

ITALY'S MOVE STILL HANGING IN BALANCES

Teuton Ambassadors Said to Have Presented Verbal Note to Sonnino.

RUPTURE NOW IMMINENT

Diplomatic Circles Feel That No Other Course Is Possible.

[Canadian Press.]

Rome, May 18.—11:55 p.m. (via Paris, May 19—10:10 a.m.)—Foreign Minister Sonnino is reported to have informed the council of ministers at its session this evening that offers of additional territorial concessions had been received from Austria.

RUPTURE IMMINENT.

Rome (via Paris), May 19.—The Austrian and German ambassadors presented a verbal note when they called upon Foreign Minister Sonnino yesterday morning, it now is stated, and diplomatic circles believe that after such a step a rupture is imminent between Italy and her former allies.

Urgent calls were sent out for a Cabinet meeting at 9:30 o'clock, and announcement of what transpired was awaited with impatience in political and diplomatic circles, but the ministers ended their conference at midnight without making any statement for publication.

"THE STREET HAS WON."

Berlin, May 19.—Via London, 4:30 p.m.—The Rome correspondent of the Berliner Tageblatt today sends a pessimistic dispatch from the Italian capital, declaring: "The short parliamentary interlude is ended. The street has won."

Italian dispatches to other Berlin newspapers are of a similar tenor. It appears to be generally felt that only a miracle can now avert war between Italy and Austria.

RAILWAYS SEIZED.

Rome, May 18.—11.25 p.m. (via Paris, May 19—10:10 a.m.)—A royal decree, under which all railroad lines and stations in Italy are placed entirely under the supervision of the military authorities, is published by the Official Gazette.

Under the provisions of the decree military officials are given the power

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DOES NOT KNOW WHEN CITY ROAD IS TO BE OPENED

Chairman Pocock Says Date Arranged Will Not Fit in Arrangements.

NO PLACE FOR THE CARS

Road Must Await Decision as to Securing Property Owned by the Grand Trunk.

According to an announcement made today by Philip Pocock, vice-chairman of the London and Port Stanley Railway Commission, the officers of the electrified road will be appointed next week. Sir Adam Beck, chairman of the commission, is expected to arrive in London on Monday, and the appointments will follow his return. The vice-chairman absolutely denies that any appointments had yet been made, and declared that the choice would not be made until next week.

While June 19 has been practically named as the official opening day, the vice-chairman declared that there was a possibility that the delegates would be invited for some other day. He said that the committee was hardly in favor of having the opening on a Saturday, but would prefer to have it on a Wednesday. June 23 was suggested as an alternative to the 19th.

Picks on June 23.

"We cannot say just yet when the opening will be held," said the vice-chairman. "I hardly thing, though, that it will be the 19th. That is a Saturday, and the joint committee seems opposed to have it on such a day. We may have it on the Friday preceding it, or possibly the Thursday, but I really think it will be on Wednesday the 23rd."

Continuing, Mr. Pocock said that the current would be turned on within a week or ten days and that the equipment was expected this week. Just where it would be permanently housed was something he could not say. The old Canada Southern roundhouse, now used by the city as a store yard and city blacksmith shop, was too small, he said, to accommodate the cars and engines, and construction of a permanent car barns and engine house was delayed because of the Grand Trunk. The site chosen for these buildings would be directly in the way of any track elevation if it was decided on by the steam road.

Equipment Arrives.

Converting equipment for the road is now nearly all here, it is announced, with the exception of a switchboard that was to have been delivered on April 1. There is, however, an old temporary switchboard that was used when the city first began supplying power to the London Street Railway, and this can be pressed into service for the time being.

SERGT.-MAJOR CHIVERS WAS BADLY INJURED



Advertiser Illustrations.

Letter to sister here from nurse says operation on hip necessary.

No Pro-German Demonstrations Says Woman

North End Lady Denies It Was in Her Home That Celebrations Took Place.

On behalf of her husband who is ill, a north end resident today made a voluntary statement in view of articles that have been printed in reference to alleged demonstrations of German sympathy made in the homes of Londoners of Teutonic descent.

In the first place, the woman said that both she and her husband were Canadians, and Canadians first, last and always. While they are of German descent, they declare that they have never made any statement since the war that would indicate anything but loyalty to Canada.

"When the war started, my husband and I both stated that we were loyal to Canada, and much as we suffered to see the German people involved in such a dreadful and unjust war of their own making, we have always been Canadians," she said. "We have always felt that our first duty was to this country, which we cherish as much as any other Canadians."

Not in Her Home.

She added that if any celebrations of the Lusitania sinking were held in the home of any Londoner of German descent, it was not in her home. She told of a church festival, which she organized and held at her home on April 28, which was before the sinking of the Cunard liner.

The festival was for the benefit of the German Evangelical Lutheran Church, and many Canadians of British descent were present, some of them taking part in the program. The young people were on the veranda for a time and naturally they were feeling lighthearted.

She was asked if such a tune as "Der Wacht Am Rhine" were played, and replied that her son had played the chorus of this song as an encore to one of his pieces.

"Wacht Am Rhine" as Encore.

"But it was only as an encore to another piece, and because it was one of those he happened to know," she explained. "I have heard the same piece played by others on the same street. Naturally he knew this tune, and it was the only thing he had left to play."

The funds collected at the festival were for the benefit of the church and were all turned over to the church treasury.

The couple in question said that they were prepared to face any person who accused them of making pro-German statements. They deny having contributed to any German fund and express their willingness to aid at all times any good works that are carried on for the benefit of Canadians, either at home or at the front.

GIRL'S BREASTS HACKED OFF BY GERMANS

Lt. Simpson Parkinson Tells of Atrocities, Victims of Which He Saw.

HANDS WERE CUT OFF

Girl Showed Him Her Arms, Which Had Been Cruelly Mutilated.

Further confirmation of the truth of stories of German atrocities, which have been published from time to time, if confirmation they need, is given by Lieut. Simpson Parkinson, who left London with the first contingent in command of the Corps of Guides, and who, some weeks ago, was invalided home from England, where illness had confined him to a hospital for a considerable time and effectively prevented his participation in the fighting in France.

While convalescing in Old London (a relapse later necessitated his return to the hospital) Lieut. Parkinson visited one of the Belgian refugee hostels and there had visual proof that the Germans, in their first victorious rush through Belgium, had practiced the most unthinkable atrocities on young girls and women.

Breasts Hacked Off.

One girl he spoke with in the hostel showed him that her hands had been hacked off at the wrists, and another, who assured him that hers was by no means an exceptional case, had had her breasts hacked off. These were the only specific cases of deliberate mutilation which he saw, but from other refugees he heard of even more revolting cases, if such a thing were possible. Some of the refugees told him that the Germans when they entered a city or town as conquerors invariably commenced a campaign of pillaging, mutilation and destruction. They declared that thousands of girls were ravished, and that, if they dared to resist the brutal, drink-inflamed German soldiers, they were treated in the most inhuman way, and often mutilated.

Sisters Ill-Treated.

Convents, the lieutenant was told, were rased to the ground from simple wantonness and the Sister brutally ill-treated, many of them, after having been subjected to the most terrible indignities and having been robbed of their virtue, being left to die from the results of the cruel treatment they had received.

A British Tommy gave him also an insight into the lust for blood of the Teuton hordes. This soldier declared that when the British entered a village previously occupied by the Germans they found that not a soul had been left alive. On a windowsill they at length saw what they supposed was a live baby, but investigation showed that the little one had been impaled on a bayonet and left to kick until it died.

Can't Exaggerate Tales.

"At first," Lieut. Parkinson said, "I was inclined to think that the stories of German atrocities had been exaggerated, but what I saw for myself, coupled with what I was told by others who had seen, has convinced me that it is impossible to exaggerate them. The things they have done are almost beyond belief, it is true, but one has to believe the evidence of his own eyesight. It makes a man's blood boil to know that such things are done. It does mine, I know, and I am living for the time when I am sufficiently recovered to get back to the army and take a smack at the inhuman monsters who have been guilty of such unspeakable crimes."

Lieut. Parkinson left London with Ptes. Dick Whetter, Robert Watt and John Ross Mooney, three Londoners who have been reported as missing in recent casualty lists. They were transferred at Valcartier to the Montreal Highlanders, and each was promoted to the rank of lance-corporal, and put in command of a machine gun. The fact that they are missing, therefore, indicates that the Germans make a special mark of these pieces.

SEPTIC TANKS TO GIVE RIVER NEEDED BATH

Several Million Gallons of Raw Sewage May Be Properly Treated.

SEWERS EMPTY DIRECT

Not All, But Some—Statute Laws Prohibit This But Facts Remain.

Giving the Thames a bath or, in other words, instituting a clean-up campaign for the river, to bring it out of its present eye-sore and nose-sore state, means for one thing that a whole series of septic tank treating plants will have to be constructed. Incidentally this means that several million gallons of untreated raw sewage that now is turned into the river every day will be given the septic treatment.

London, of course, has a septic tank system in force now that treats a large proportion of the sewage, but not only is this inadequate to handle the city's entire sewage, but a considerable number of the sewers in the city do not even tap into it. They enter the river without treatment.

Olfactory Objection.

With the new septic tank station at the foot of Egerton street in the East End, that portion of the city will be fairly well off so far as sanitary sewer treatment is concerned. However, between Egerton street and the "forks" of the river there are a considerable number of sewers that empty into the river direct. Naturally this sewage is carried down stream and is one of the reasons for the olfactory objection that the boatmen take to the Thames.

Weren't Actively Enforced.

There are on the statute books of Ontario laws that prohibit the emptying of raw sewage into any stream from a city. They have been there for years.

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LANCE-CORP. SUMMERS WRITES OF HIS INJURIES

Wounded in Left Foot by Piece of Bursting Shell.

Writing from somewhere in France, Lance-Corp. Summers has notified his parents, who reside at 376 Lyle street, that in a recent engagement he suffered a wound in his left foot as the result of being struck by a piece of shell.

Somewhere in France, April 29.

My Dear Mother:

Just a few lines to you, hoping all of you are all right. I guess by the time you get this letter you will have heard about us Canadian boys. Well, dear mother, I was wounded in the left foot with a piece of shell. I was not wounded very badly. You can send my mail to the same address as before. I guess by the time you get this letter and I get an answer I will be back with the regiment. I got your parcel all right, but I lost all. I put it in my pack, and when we made the attack I threw my pack away. Well, dear mother, I will close now. Will write again in a day or two. Give my love to all who ask about me. From your ever loving son, TED.

ITALIANS IN LONDON EXPECT CALL TO ARMS

Professor Venuti Says He Momentarily Awaits Word.

Professor Venuti, who came to Canada from Italy some time ago, and has been living in London, expects to go home to fight. He is a reservist of the Fourteenth Cavalry Regiment, and is expecting official notification to go home at any time. He stated to The Advertiser today that he will be more than ready when the call comes.

"Ever since I was a little boy going to school," he said, "I have been looking forward to fighting Austria some day, and helping win back the territory taken from Italy. All our school children are taught about what Austria did to Italy, and all want to get a chance to fight. Many of my countrymen from this district expect to go home to fight also."

BRITAIN'S EXPRESSION OF HER GRATITUDE FOR REMARKABLE SERVICES OF THE DOMINION

Huge Gathering, Including Premier, Pass Resolutions—Sir George Perley Says Canada Is Fighting To Protect Her Rights and Liberties.

[Special Cable to The Advertiser.]

London, May 19.—A great gathering held at the Guild Hall today, addressed by Prime Minister Asquith, Bonar Law and others, set on record "Abiding gratitude for unparalleled services rendered by the overseas Dominions in the struggle to maintain the ideal of liberty and justice, which is the common cause of the Allies."

Acknowledging the resolution on behalf of Canada, Sir George Perley said: "We have in Canada, as in other Dominions, a complete autonomy within our own borders, but we naturally look forward to the day when we shall have a voice in all matters of common interest to the whole empire. The announcement that the Dominions will be consulted before terms of peace are arranged has produced a splendid impression in Canada. Our people would, no doubt, have been disappointed if such a course were not followed.

Why It Was Done.

"Three days before war was actually declared Canada offered to send troops and make every necessary sacrifice. Why did we do this? Canada is naturally a peace-loving country, needing all her energies to develop her immense natural resources. We live in amity and friendship with the great American republic, but we want to hand down our great heritage unimpaired to our descendants. It has been said we came to the assistance of the Mother Country, but I say we are fighting because the British Empire is at war, and we are proud and willing to do our share to protect her rights and liberties.

Other Brave Men.

"Canada spoke for herself at Ypres. After all our hopes and fears, we know Canadians acted as the whole Dominion expected, and proved themselves worthy of the two great pioneer races from which they sprung. We in Canada also realize and applaud the magnificent bravery of our brethren from the other Dominions as well as from India and the Crown colonies."

Sir George concluded by quoting messages received from Premier Borden: "Losses sustained by our Canadian troops in the magnificently gallant stand they made in the recent fighting will serve to strengthen, if possible, the determination of the Canadian people to bring this war to a triumphant conclusion."

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 51; lowest, 32.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 49; lowest, 28.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COOL.

Toronto, May 19—8 a.m.

Forecasts.

Today—Northerly winds; fine.

Thursday—Northeast winds; fair and continued cool.

Temperature.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	62	62	Rain
Calgary	42	36	Clear
Winnipeg	60	32	Clear
Port Arthur	54	30	Clear
Parry Sound	48	32	Clear
Toronto	58	36	Clear
Ottawa	54	44	Cloudy
Montreal	56	44	Cloudy
Quebec	50	40	Cloudy
Father Point	48	40	Cloudy

Weather Notes.

The area of highest pressure now covers the Great Lakes, while a low area is developing over the Maritime Provinces, and another with diminishing energy is moving northward from Texas.

The weather continues fine in the Western Provinces, with a general tendency towards higher temperature.

Light frosts occurred again this morning in many parts of Ontario.

WASHINGTON RESOLVED NOT TO BARGAIN WITH GERMANY OVER ANY NOTE TO BRITAIN



Advertiser Illustrations. With acknowledgment to Punch.

YPRES: April 22-23, 1915.

President Will Ignore Blockade By Britain Until After Reply Is Received.

SUSPICION CAUSED AGAIN

Torpedoing of Steamer Shows Submarine Warfare Has Not Ceased.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

(By John Edwin Nevin.)

Washington, May 19.—Germany's delay in answering the American note demanding cessation of submarine warfare against merchant vessels, caused renewed anxiety in official circles today.

It was realized that Italian developments were paramount, so far as Germany was concerned, but it had been hoped that at least an official intimation of the Kaiser's position would be forthcoming.

However, Ambassador Gerard today notified the State Department that there was no possibility of a reply until next week at the earliest.

The Assigned Reason.

The assigned reason was, of course, the Italian situation, but it was believed Germany welcomes the delay to have all sides of the matter passed on by military and civil authorities.

It was agreed that if the German delay really is due to the Italian situation it will be accepted in good faith, but that if Germany simply wishes to see whether this Government will address a note to Great Britain, demanding that she call off her food blockade of Germany, the latter will be disappointed.

No Bargaining.

It is understood to be the President's plan to let the British blockade and questions growing out of it remain in status quo until after the German reply is received.

This is declared absolutely necessary if the matter is to be kept free of suspicion of bargaining.

Announcement that the British steamer Drumcree had fallen a victim to a German submarine came as an unpleasant surprise, officials having believed that the German submarine warfare against merchant vessels had been indefinitely interrupted.

SOME FORECASTS.

[Canadian Press.]

Washington, May 19.—Official information was received here today that Germany's reply to the American note will not be completed for at least a week, and probably will not reach Washington for at least ten days.

It is now believed, with some definiteness, that Germany will indicate her willingness to have her submarines act toward all merchantmen just as destroyers or cruisers would give ample time for passengers and crew to leave, provided merchantmen are unarmed, or if passengers or contraband traffic are separated.

Meets Some Favor.

That position is looked upon with some favor here, provided it is suggested as a modus vivendi or temporary arrangement, and does not involve the relinquishment by the United States of the rights of its citizens to travel anywhere on the high seas on enemy or belligerent unarmed ships.

There is an insistence on the part of the United States, however, that the principles of law and humanity expressed in its note must be recognized and admitted by Germany, and that any intention to destroy American lives on the Lusitania must be disavowed. That the United States will stand firmly on the principles set forth in its note, has been conveyed indirectly and informally to Germany since the communication itself left here.

MORE "NEUTRALS"

[Canadian Press.]

Lisbon, Portugal, May 19. — The newly-formed Portuguese cabinet has decided, it was announced today, to maintain an absolutely neutral attitude toward all political parties.

The newspapers of the capital today comment on the visits exchanged between the commanders of the Spanish warships anchored in the Tague River and the Lisbon authorities.

RECORD FLOUR CARGO.

[Canadian Press.]

Port Arthur, May 19.—The steamer North Lake, of the Mutual Transport Company, sailed today with the largest cargo of flour ever taken from the head of the lakes. Her cargo consisted of 5,127 tons, transferred at Buffalo for [illegible] Britain and her allies.

PRINCETON PRESIDENT FOR PREPAREDNESS AGAINST WAR

Dr. Hibben Does Not Believe in Impressing Horrors or Economic Losses On Children — Gives Germany Indirect Slams.

[Canadian Press.]

Lake Mohonk, N. Y., May 19.—Dr. John Grier Hibben, president of Princeton University, stirred the Lake Mohonk Conference on International Arbitration today by taking issue with pacifists who favor disarmament and by advocating "a wise preparedness of our military forces in the United States."

"I don't advocate preparedness for war," he said, "but a preparedness against war."

Emergency Possible.

"No one," he added, "can be so blind regarding the significance of present conditions as to take the position that a grave national emergency is not at least a possibility.

"I am not in sympathy with the peace propaganda which is being prosecuted in many of our schools, so far, at least, as it endeavors to quicken the peace sentiment by impressing upon the minds of the young children the horrors or the economical losses of war."

Nasty Knocks.

Without naming any of the belligerents, Dr. Hibben asserted that one fallacy tending to obstruct the progress of peace was that "this present terrible war has developed certain practices and usages which will revolutionize the accepted restrictions of international law, so that hereafter all immemorial obligations of nation to nation in a state of war will be swept away.

The president's opening address was delivered by Joan Bassett Moore, professor of international law and diplomacy at Columbia University, and formerly counsellor of the state department. His subject was "The Attainment of the Objects of Common Interest Through International Action."

RECONSTRUCTION OF CABINET ANNOUNCED BY PREMIER ASQUITH

Changes To Be Made Will Not Affect Prime Minister, Sir Edward Grey or Policy of Continuing War With All Energy.

[Special Cable to The Advertiser.]

London, May 19.—4:45 p.m.—Premier Asquith announced in the House of Commons today that steps were in contemplation which involved a reconstruction of the Government upon a broader personal and political basis.

"Nothing has been definitely arranged as yet," the Premier said, "but in order to avoid any possible misapprehension I wish to make here and now three things plain:

Important Points.

"First—Any changes will not affect the position of the prime minister, or of the foreign secretary; second, there will be no change of any kind in the policy of the country as regards the continued prosecution of the war with all possible energy and by means of every available resource, and third and last, and of great importance to the honorable friends behind me and I have no doubt to the Opposition, is this—any reconstruction of the cabinet that may be made will be for the purposes of the war alone, and is not to be taken in any quarter or for any reason as indicating anything in the nature of a surrender or a compromise on the part of any person, or body of persons, of their several political ideals.

"This is as far as I can go. Nothing definite yet has taken place, but if any arrangement is made the House will have the fullest opportunity of expressing its views."

Only Thinking of War.

The references of the Premier to the prosecution of the war were greeted with loud and prolonged cheering.

The Prime Minister was followed by Andrew Bonar Law, leader of the Opposition, who said: "I think it only necessary to say on behalf of my friends and myself that at the stage this has reached, our only consideration in regard to the further steps to be taken is the sole idea of what is the best method of finishing the war successfully, and we leave out of our minds absolutely all considerations, political and otherwise, beyond that.

"Of course, if such an arrangement should take place, it is obvious our convictions on other subjects will re-

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HOW GERMANY "CALLED OFF" SUBMARINE ATT

British Steamer Drumcree Torpedoed in English Channel—Crew All Saved.

[Canadian Press.]

Cardiff, Wales, May 19—Via London, 12:31 p.m.—The British steamer Drumcree, which left Barry yesterday, has been torpedoed in the English Channel. The members of the crew have been saved.

The Drumcree was built in Sunderland in 1905. She was of 2,557 tons net register, and 374 feet long. She was owned in Liverpool.

Norwegian To

It was only on acc[illegible] bravery shown by the [illegible] Norwegian steamer that[illegible] gers and crew of the Dr[illegible] rescued, The Drumcree [illegible] torpedoed when off [illegible] coast yesterday, but t[illegible] failed to sink her. She [illegible] in tow by the Norwegi[illegible] but the submarine starte[illegible] and the Norwegian cast[illegible]

A second torpedo f[illegible] Drumcree. She was sin[illegible] when the Norwegian ves[illegible] ing her peril, returned a[illegible] the passengers and crew

SEXTETTE OF MEN GRADUATE FROM MEDICAL SCHOOL

Four Londoners, Doupe, McTaggart, Pearson and Siddall Get Diplomas.

OTHERS OUTSIDE MEN

Three Besides Received Degrees When They Enlisted With the A. S. C.

Six Western medical men have been successful in passing their finals and will graduate shortly. Four of the men are Londoners. They are: Rupert Doupe, George McTaggart, Gerald Pearson and W. G. Siddall. E. C. McFarlane, of Stratford, and W. J. Laurie, of Toronto, are the other graduates.

The class was small this year, owing to the change in term from four to five years. Those who would have tried finals this year would have been composed of the present fourth-year men. No medals were awarded. Three other fifth-year men, Scott, Martin and Keyler, received their degrees when they enlisted for active service with the A. S. C.

Following is the report of students' grades for session of 1914-1915, of the faculty of medicine, Western University:

FIFTH YEAR.

Gynecology — Second-class Honors—Doupe. Passed — Laurie, McFarlane, White, Pearson, Siddall, McTaggart, McCormick.

Medicine—Second-class Honors—Pearson, McTaggart. Passed—Siddall, McFarlane, Doupe, Laurie.

Clinical Medicine—Second-class Honors—Pearson. Passed—McTaggart, Laurie, White, Siddall, McFarlane, McCormick, Doupe.

Obstetrics—First-class Honors—Pearson, Second-class Honors—Laurie, McTaggart Passed—McFarlane, Siddall, Doupe, White.

Surgery—First-class Honors — Pearson. Passed—Siddall, McTaggart, McFarlane, Doupe, White, Laurie.

Clinical Surgery—First-class Honors—Pearson. Second-class Honors — McTaggart. Passed—Doupe, McCormick, McFarlane, Laurie, Siddall.

Pathology and Bacteriology—Second-class Honors—Pearson, McTaggart. Passed—Laurie, Siddall, White, Doupe, McFarlane, McCormick.

Therapeutics — Passed— McTaggart, Pearson, Siddall, White, McFarlane.

FOURTH YEAR.

Bacteriology—Second-class Honors — Hawkings. Passed—Ross, Phoenix, D. R. Young, J. M. Young, Mitton, Walker, Wildfang, Taylor, Renton, Ireland, Stewart, McFarlane, Simpkins.

Gynecology—Second-class Honors — Ross. Passed—J. M. Young, Hawkings, Stewart, McFarland, D. R. Young, Walker, Taylor, Mitton, Renton, Simpkins, Ireland, Phoenix, Wildfang.

Medicine. — Second-Class Honors — Ross, J. M. Young, McFarlane, Renton, D. R. Young. Passed—Mitton, Taylor, Ireland, Simpkins, Phoenix, Wildfang, Hawkings, Walker, Stewart.

Clinical Medicine. — Passed — Wildfang, Taylor, D. R. Young, Ireland, Ross, Simpkins, Hawkings, J. M. Young, Mitton, Phoenix, Renton.

Obstetrics. — Second-Class Honors—J. M. Young, D. R. Young, Stewart. Passed — Simpkins, Walker, Renton, Taylor, Hawkings, Ross, Wildfang, Phoenix.

Pathology.—Second-Class Honors — Hawkings, Ross. Passed—Wildfang, J. M. Young, D. R. Young, Phoenix, Renton, Ireland, McFarlane, Walker, Mitton, Taylor, Stewart, Simpkins.

Surgery.—First-Class Honors—D. R. Young, J. M. Young. Second-Class Honors—Ross. Passed—Phoenix, Hawkings, Mitton, Ireland, McFarlane, Renton, Simpkins, Taylor, Walker, Stewart, Wildfang.

Clinical Surgery.—First-Class Honors—Wildfang. Passed—Phoenix, Hawkings, Stewart, Taylor, Walker, J. M. Young, Ross, Simpkins, McFarlane, Renton, D. R. Young.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.—Second-Class Honors—Ross, Pearson, McTaggart, Hawkings, J. M. Young, Taylor, McFarlane. Passed—Wildfang, Phoenix, Mitton, Stewart, Ireland, Walker, D. R. Young, Renton, Simpkins.

Therapeutics. — First-class honors—Hawkings. Second-class honors—D. R. Young, J. M. Young, Wildfang. Passed—Ross, Renton, Phoenix, McFarlane, Simpkins, Taylor, Walker, Mitton.

THIRD YEAR.

Bacteriology. — First-class honors—Campbell, Foucar. Second-class honors—Andrus, Denney, Ferguson, R. S. Murray. Passed—Renwick, Nelson, McKay, Ballantyne, McKillop, Shore, T. F. Murray, Shiell, Jones.

Medicine.—First-class honors—Ferguson, Shore, Renwick, Denney, McKay, McKillop, Andrus, T. F. Murray, Ballantyne, Campbell, Nelson. Second-class honors—Jones, R. S. Murray, Foucar, Shiell.

Clinical Medicine.—First-class honors—Andrus. Second-class honors—Campbell, Foucar, Ballantyne, Denney, Renwick, Ferguson, R. S. Murray, Nelson, Jones, Shore, T. F. Murray. Passed—McKillop, Shiell, McKay.

Pathology. — Second-class honors—Foucar, Andrus, Campbell, Ferguson. Passed—R. S. Murray, Denney, Ballantyne, Nelson, Renwick, Shore, McKay, McKillop, T. F. Murray, Shiell.

Pharmacology — First-class honors—Ballantyne, Campbell, Andrus. Second-class honors—R. S. Murray, Foucar. Passed—Denney, Renwick, Ferguson, T. F. Murray, Nelson, McKay, Jones, Shore.

Clinical Surgery—First-Class Honors—Andrus, Campbell, Foucar, Ballantyne. Second-Class Honors—Denney, Ferguson, R. S. Murray, T. F. Murray, Shiell. Passed—McKillop, Renwick, McKay, Jones, Nelson, Shore.

Clinical Surgery—First-Class Honors—Foucar, Nelson, Andrus, Campbell, Renwick, T. F. Murray. Second-Class Honors—Ballantyne, R. S. Murray, Denney. Passed—McKillop, Ferguson, McKay, Shore, Jones, Shiell.

SECOND YEAR.

Anatomy.—First-Class Honors—Weir. Second-Class Honors—McNiece, Seaton. Passed—Hughes, Morrison, Armstrong, Colling, Freele, Pennecott, Hoggarth, Wiley.

Organic Chemistry, — Second-Class Honors—Weir. Passed—Hughes, Morrison, Pennecott, Seaton, Freele, Colling, Ferguson, Armstrong, McNiece, Wiley.

Practical Chemistry. — First-Class Honors—Hughes, Hoggarth. Second-Class Honors—Weir, Ferguson, Armstrong, Colling, Freele. Passed—Pennecott, Seaton, Morrison, Wiley, McNiece.

Embryology.—First-Class Honors—Weir, Hughes. Second-Class Honors—Seaton. Passed—Pennecott, Armstrong, Ferguson, McNiece, Wiley, Freele, Morrison, Colling.

Histology.—First-Class Honors—Weir, Hughes. Second-Class Honors—Colling, Ferguson, McNiece, Morrison. Passed—Armstrong, Seaton, Pennecott, Wiley, Freele, Hoggarth.

Neurology. — First-Class Honors—Hughes, Weir, Pennecott. Second-Class Honors — Seaton, Morrison, Passed—McNiece, Wiley, Armstrong, Colling, Hoggarth, Freele.

Materia Medica.—First-Class Honors—Campbell. Weir, Hughes. Second-Class Honors—Hoggarth, Seaton, Ferguson, Pennecott, Colling, Armstrong. Passed—Freele, McNiece, Morrison, Wiley.

Physiology. — First-Class Honors—Weir, Campbell. Second-Class Honors—Hughes, Seaton. Passed—Armstrong, Morrison, Ferguson, McNiece, Pennecott, Freele, Wiley, Colling.

Physiological Chemistry.—First-Class Honors—Campbell, Weir. Second-Class Honors—Hughes. Passed—Colling, Ferguson, Armstrong, Pennecott, Morrison, Seaton, Wiley.

FIRST YEAR.

Anatomy (upper).—First-Class Honors—Shosenberg, Wortman, Reynolds. Second-Class Honors—Hillis, Kenny, Watson. Passed—Houghton McLarty, Pritchett, Kaiser, Johnston, Smith, Bateson, Bremner, Elgie.

Anatomy (lower),—First-Class Honors—Shosenberg, Watson, Wortman. Second-Class Honors—Reynolds, Hillis, Kenney Houghton, Johnston. Passed—Kaiser, McLarty, Smith, Pritchett, Bremner, Pardy, Elgie.

Biology. — First-Class Honors — Shosenberg, Reynolds. Second-Class Honors—Pritchett, Wortman, Watson, Houghton, Kaiser. Passed—Pardy, Johnston, Bremner, Kenney, Bateson, Smith, Elgie, McLarty, Carrothers, Hillis.

Histology. — First-Class Honors — Shosenberg, Wortman, Reynolds, Kaiser. Second-Class Honors—Pritchett. Passed—Watson, Bremner, Houghton, Pardy, McLarty, Kenney, Hillis, Johnston, Smith, Elgie.

Inorganic Chemistry.—Second-Class Honors—Shosenberg, Reynolds, Wortman, Watson. Passed — Pritchett, Bremner, Johnston, Kaiser, McLarty, Hillis, Elgie, Pardy, Houghton, Carrothers, Bateson.

Practical Chemistry. — First-Class Honors—Pritchett, Shosenberg, Second-Class Honors—Reynolds Elgie, Watson, Pardy, Kaiser, Smith. Passed—Hillis Wortman, Carrothers, Houghton, McLarty, Bremner, Bateson, Johnston.

Physics.—First-Class Honors— Shosenberg, Reynolds. Passed—Watson, Bremner, Wortman, Elgie, Johnston, Kaiser, Bateson, Hillis, Houghton, McLarty, Pritchett, Carrothers, Smith, Pardy.

Physiology. — First-Class Honors — Shosenberg. Second-Class Honors—Watson, Wortman, Reynolds, Johnston, Pritchett, Kaiser, Kenney. Passed — Bremner, McLarty, Carrothers, Houghton, Pardy, Hillis, Smith, Elgie, Bateson.

CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING



Residents of the city for 43 years, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston, residing at 555 York street, celebrated their golden wedding on Friday. Both were born in Stockport, England, but came to this city in 1873. There are eight children in the family: four sons, James, of Detroit; William, of Windsor; Alfred, of this city; Albert, of St. Thomas; and four daughters, Mrs. C. A. Beedle, of this city; Mrs. George F. Leach, Mrs. D. R. Mahanna, and Mrs. W. W. Bentine, of Columbus, Ohio. They have 28 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

The anniversary of their marriage was made the occasion for a big family reunion at which all the members were present. The home was prettily decorated with flowers, the gift of the grandchildren. The members of the family presented Mr. and Mrs. Johnston with a purse of gold, Alfred Johnston reading an accompanying address. Other gifts, a gold brooch and a tie pin, were received from Mr. and Mrs. Wheatcroft. Mrs. Wheatcroft is a sister of Mrs. Johnston, and her only living relative.

Mr. Johnston until recently was in the employ of the Grand Trunk, but was pensioned after years of faithful service in the employ of that company.



Money! Money!!

But it isn't everything—

There's far more satisfaction in bounding health and the ability to be comfortable.

When health has slipped away through wrong habits of diet, the only way to get it back is to change food.

Grape-Nuts

(Made in Canada)

is scientifically prepared food, and contains all the ... nutriment of wheat and barley—including their ... aluable mineral content—necessary for sound ... shment of one's mental and physical forces.

... a clear head to steer a strong body, you can ... s and win. Both can be built by proper food, ... ned to money and comfort.

...pe-Nuts food is delicious, richly nourishing and ... digestible—undisputedly the most scientific ... the world.

"There's a Reason"

—think it over!

Canadian Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Windsor, Ont.

Relief Food From London Reaches Local Soldiers

Woman's Canadian Club Pancakes Relished by Battery Boys in Flanders.

Mrs. A. T. Edwards, who has taken an active, practical interest in the Belgian Relief work of the Women's Canadian Club, has tangible evidence that Belgium is reacting in a most pleasant is desired by those who have generously contributed. More than this, she has discovered that the sympathetic help of Canadians for the sufferers of Belgium is reacting in am ost pleasant manner on our own Canadian boys who have gone to fight the battles for right and justice.

A letter arrived yesterday at Mrs. Edward's home from a member of the Sixth Field Battery stationed in Belgium.

Some time ago several of the men were sleeping in a barn and in the morning found a Belgian woman standing outside holding a basket. She inquired in broken English if they were Canadians, and on being assured, revealed something tempting rolled in a towel, a pile of piping-hot pancakes made from Canadian flour and a bottle of Canadian golden syrup. She had received a box of clothing with a letter from Canada. Would they care to read it? Did any of the men know Mrs. A. T. Edwards, of London?

One of them certainly did. Why she was looking after his family in his absence. The letter told of the forwarding of the syrup, the flour and the clothing in the fourth carload of supplies sent by the Women's Canadian Club.

ALL-DAY ELECTRICITY HOPELESS IN KINCARDINE

Manufacturers Reluctant to Discard Steam Plants.

KINCARDINE, May 18.—The committee to report on all-day electric power did not bring in a very glowing report. The feeling of manufacturers in general was that it would not pay them to change from steam to electric power. Only one businessman would say he would take electricity, and the commission did not think it advisable under the circumstances to decide upon an all-day service. Nevertheless, the commission decided to appoint J. Watson to visit Listowel and Wingham, and learn the cost of an all-day service and report.

A discussion on the cost of putting a main water-pipe to the schoolhouse at South line finally carried, and that it be charged to general account.

It was decided that a drain be put in to carry off the overflow from the standpipe.

Much complaint of threatened damage from ice forming with the overflow last winter is the reason of this early start for next winter.

PALE ANAEMIC GIRLS

Find New Health Through Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

There must be no guesswork in the treatment of pale, anaemic girls. If your daughter is languid, has a pale, sallow complexion, is short of breath, especially on going upstairs; if she has palpitation of the heart, a poor appetite, or a tendency to faint, she has anaemia—which means poverty of the blood. Any delay in treatment may leave her weak and sickly for the rest of her life—delay may even result in consumption, that most hopeless of diseases. When the blood is poor and watery, there is only one certain cure—that is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, coupled with nourishing food and gentle exercise. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new blood, which flowing through the veins stimulate the nerves, increases the appetite, give brightness to the eye, a glow of health to the cheek, and makes weak, despondent girls full of healthy activity. The case of Miss J. H. Lassalle, Sorel, Que., is typical of the cures made by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. She says: "I was weak and all run down. My face was pale and covered with pimples. My lips were pale. I suffered from pains in all my limbs, which would at times be swollen. I was hardly ever free from headaches, and I found work about the house a burden, as the least effort left me fatigued and breathless. I had no appetite, and notwithstanding that I was constantly doctoring I seemed to be growing worse all the time. One day mother said she thought I ought to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I decided to do so. I soon discovered that I had found the right medicine, and after using nine boxes I was once more enjoying the best of health, and I have not been unwell a day since."

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont.

WESTERN CONVOCATION TO BE HELD MAY 28

Sixteen Degrees of B. A. and Several M. D. Degrees To Be Conferred.

The Western University convocation will be held Friday evening, May 28, in the auditorium, when scholarships and medals will be presented. The graduating class this year is unusually large. Fifteen or sixteen degrees of B. A. and two or three degrees of M. A. will be given. The class in medicine is smaller, due to adding another year to the four-year course. Great interest is being taken in the coming ceremony, and it is expected that a large number of friends and relatives of the graduates will attend from all over Western Ontario.

CARE FOR INJURED HORSES

Monthly Instalments of Blue Cross Fund Will Be Sent.

At the regular meeting of the London Humane Society, held Tuesday afternoon, arrangements were made for sending monthly installments of the Blue Cross fund, which will be used to care for sick and wounded horses in the war. The inspector will see that a number of the small drinking fountains are distributed about the city. In the absence of the acting president, Dr. Niven, Miss Boyd presided at yesterday's meeting.

ANNUAL SUMMER FESTIVAL.

The Guild of St. John's Anglican Church, London Township, at a well-attended meeting yesterday afternoon, decided to hold the annual summer festival on the rectory grounds, the residence of Rev. Thomas McComb, on Wednesday, June 16. The Guil' met at the home of Bert Thomas.

SAYS THIN PEOPLE CAN INCREASE WEIGHT

Food Alone Produces Fat, Says Noted Expert—How to Turn Food Into Healthy Flesh.

The reason that some people are chronically thin and under normal weight, says a noted authority, is because of a chronic leakage of the fat-making elements in their food. The assimilative functions of their stomach and intestines are not working properly. Only a small portion of the food nourishment of their meals ever reaches their blood—just enough, perhaps, to keep life within the body—the rest passes out as waste. The problem of gaining weight and flesh depends entirely, therefore, on a natural stopping of this dangerous waste of fats and the correction and repair of the organs of assimilation.

For those who wish to gain healthy flesh and put on from ten to twenty pounds of weight, a single Sargol tablet taken at meals for a few weeks will almost invariably produce the desired effect. Sargol does not of itself build flesh, but, swallowed with your food, it acts upon every mouthful you eat, first separating all the fats, oils, sugars, starches and other flesh-making materials from the food waste and then preparing all the nourishing elements in a form in which the blood can readily accept and distribute all over the body. Sargol stops the leakage of fats, keeps all the flesh-making materials within the body, allows only the worthless waste to leave it. It further repairs the faulty organs of assimilation, enabling them gradually to properly perform their natural functions so that the new-found flesh "stays put." Sargol is not an experiment. Thousands have used it and proved it. Its action is natural and harmless, and it is seldom indeed that it cannot produce an increase of from ten to twenty pounds of natural healthy flesh on any person who is underweight. Leading druggists everywhere sell it with a positive guarantee of weight increase or money back as found in every package.

Sale of Irish Point Curtains Thursday



$4.00 to $8.00 Curtains, Sale Prices $2.95 to $4.35

179 Pairs---A Clearance from the Maker

We have secured above quantity at a very special reduction from the maker, 179 pairs in all, some single pairs, some two pairs alike, and a few lots have as many as eight pairs of a design.

Special purchase from the manufacturer of stock lots, odds and ends left in a number of designs after the season's orders were filled. They have been sorted and grouped into four lots, $4.00, $5.00, $6.00, $7.00 and $8.00 Curtains, which will be cleared at ..... **$2.95, $3.45, $3.95 and $4.35 pair**

The following summary will tell the story briefly. On sale tomorrow (Thursday) at 8:30, Fourth Floor.

AT $2.95 PAIR—30 pairs Irish Point and Swiss Net Curtains, in white; one-pair lots; regular $4.00 and $4.50 a pair. Special ..... **$2.95 pair**

AT $3.45 PAIR—90 pairs Irish Point and Swiss Net Curtains, in white and ecru, in one, two, three and up to eight pair lots; regular prices $5.00 and $5.50 a pair. Special ..... **$3.45 pair**

AT $3.95 PAIR—29 pairs Irish Point Curtains, handsome borders, mostly white, and one-pair lots; regular $6.00 and $6.50 a pair. Special, **$3.95 pair**

AT $4.35 PAIR—30 pairs Fine Irish Point Curtains, beautiful borders, in white, ivory and ecru, mostly one-pair lots and a few two-pair lots; regular $7.00 and $8.00 a pair. Special ..... **$4.35 pair**

FOURTH FLOOR.

Sheets and Pillow Slips Hemstitched---Ready for Use

We are now showing a very complete line of high-grade goods, made from superior English Sheeting, and perfectly hemstitched and finished.

HEMSTITCHED SHEETS—50 pairs only, very large size for extra large beds, made from superior English sheeting, nicely finished with three-inch hemstitching at one end and one-inch plain hem at bottom; full 2¼x2¾ yards. Price..... **$3.50 per pair**

HEMSTITCHED SHEETS, special for bridal outfits, made of exceptionally good sheeting, made and finished in the British mills; laundered ready for immediate use; large bed size. Special ..... **$2.19 pair**

Hemstitched Slips to match, sizes 42 and 44 inches. At ..... **30c each**

Or ..... **$3.50 dozen**

HEMSTITCHED SLIP, washed and finished for immediate use. We recommend this for embroidery purposes; sizes 42 and 44 inches. Price ..... **45c each, or six for $2.50**

HORROCKSES' HEMSTITCHED SLIPS, a very serviceable slip for general use, very satisfactory, strongly made and nicely finished. Price..... **25c each, or $2.75 dozen**

FRENCH DELAINES! Ideal for Summer

Soft, light and pretty for blouse or dress, in suitable designs and colorings.

A splendid assortment of the very newest novelties in French Delaines, all wool, stripes and floral designs ..... **55c yard**

WEST AISLE.

Sale of Blouses This Week

In Many Respects Without Precedent

This sale of waists comprises many groups apart from the special we are advertising for tomorrow at 79c, the majority of which are fresh from the makers, with many additions specially priced from our own stock. Holiday waist selling will begin tomorrow morning with



Voile Waists, Embroidered Fronts, at 79c

A very Dainty Blouse of White Voile, has all-over embroidered front set in with hemstitching, double pleat down front hemstitched on both sides and fastened through with pearl buttons, long sleeves with flare hemstitched cuff, low neck with roll collar trimmed with embroidered voile to match front; sizes 34 to 44. Special **79c**

SECOND FLOOR.

Have You Ordered Your Skirt?

MADE, TRIMMED AND FITTED, $1.75

See sample models in Dress Goods Section.

Many Silk and Satin Underskirts HALF PRICE

A grouping of odd and broken stock assortments to be cleared this week; $2.25 to $5.00 skirt for ..... **$1.49 to $2.50**

Clearing sale of Satin and Silk Underskirts, odd and broken lines in popular colors; lengths 36 to 42; worth $2.25 to $5.00. To clear at.... **$1.49 and $2.50**

An excellent Petticoat of fine sateen, deep fancy accordion-pleated flounce at bottom, gored to fit neatly over the hips, drawstring around waist; comes in black, green, navy, or purple. Special **$1.29**

SECOND FLOOR.

Children's Shoes in Infants' Wear Section

Sizes 4½ Up to 7.



Since the Shoe Department was added to the Infants' Wear Section it has grown, as you will see by the great variety now showing. We make a specialty of Infants' Shoes in this section, and the prices will be found lower than you are accustomed to paying. The Shoe Section completes this department, and now you will find in one cosy little corner everything you need for baby's wardrobe or toilet, even to the bassinette and buggy.

White Kid Shoes, buttoned with white buttoned, plain vamp, without heel; sizes 3 to 4½. Price, **$1.65**

Same style as above, with heel; sizes 5 to 7. Price **$1.75**

Black Patent Leather Slipper, one strap, buttons on side or centre; a very neat little summer slipper; sizes 3 to 4½; without heel **$1.25**

Same style as above, with heel; sizes 5 to 7. Price **$1.50**

White Buckskin Slipper, good quality buckskin, strap buttons at one side; sizes 2 to 4½. Price, **$1.25**

Same as above, with heel; sizes 5 to 7. Price, **$1.50**

Black Kid Shoe patent toe, laced or buttoned; sizes 2 to 4½; without heel. Price..... **$1.25**

Sizes 4½ to 7. Price **$1.50**

Same style as above, but with ankle support. Prices ..... **$1.25 and $1.50**

Fancy Shoes, with high, colored tops (buttoned), sky, white, dull black, or tan suede; sizes 4½ to 7. Prices ..... **$1.75, $1.85 and $2.00**

SECOND FLOOR.

FLANNELETTE BLANKETS, 39c Pair

For baby. Soft and Fleecy Flannelette Blankets, with pale blue or pale pink borders, suitable for the buggy or bassinette; size 30x40 inches. Price ..... **39c pair**

Infants' Wear—Second Floor.

Fresh Strawberries or Pineapple With Ice Cream, 3 to 5:30 Special, 10c—Restaurant.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM LIMITED

Sliced Tomatoes, Bread and Butter and Cup of Tea or Coffee 3 to 5:30—Special, 15c.

FROSTS HAVE INJURED TENDER GARDEN STUFF

Interest in Oxford Field Competition Becoming Keen.

INGERSOLL, May 18. — Complaints have been heard from a number of the amateur gardeners as to the damage wrought by the frost. Reports have been fairly general that the tender plants, particularly beans and tomatoes, have been cut down entirely in many instances.

The farmers in the neighboring districts continue to manifest a lively interest in the field crop competition, which will be held under the auspices of the Ingersoll, North and West Oxford Agricultural Society. Already a number of entries have been received and it is expected there will be a marked increase. Many farmers are now giving scientific attention to oats, which is the crop for competition.

The appointment of J. L. Paterson to the free library board has been made by the council, to succeed Stephen King, recently resigned.

MRS. H BARBOUR DEAD.

KINCARDINE, May 18. — Mrs. H. Barbour died yesterday after a lingering illness She was aged 54 years and 4 months, and was well known and much appreciated.

FOUND DEAD IN BED IN QUARANTINED HOUSE

[Special to The Advertiser.]

FOREST, May 18. — Wm. Maidment, who had been visiting his son, Henry Maidment here, since his home in Brooke was destroyed by fire, was found dead in bed yesterday morning.

As the house is under quarantine for chickenpox the funeral was held privately to Beechwood Cemetery yesterday afternoon.

RELIEF FOR BELGIUM.

LONDON, May 18.—6:02 p.m.—A national movement for the relief of Belgium was launched formally at a meeting today in the Mansion House, under the presidency of the Lord-Mayor of London. Lord Lansdowne, the archbishop of Canterbury and Viscount Bryce were the principal speakers.

HOOD'S PILLS Cure Biliousness. 25c

Best for all liver ills. Try them.

GERMAN COMMANDER IN DARDANELLES DEAD

[Canadian Press.]

London, May 19.—The Cairo correspondent of the Times says he is informed that Gen. Weber Pasha, the German commander of the forts in the Dardanelles, has died of wounds.

FROST NIPS STRAWBERRIES.

FOREST, May 18. — There have been touches of frost several nights during the past week, but the first crop, except some early strawberries, has escaped injury. In some places on low lands tomato plants suffered to some extent.

DEATH OF T. B. MARTIN.

EXETER, May 18.—T. B. Martin, who had been ill for some time, died on Saturday. He leaves a wife and grown up family. The funeral will take place on Wednesday.

CONSCRIPTION IN HOLLAND.

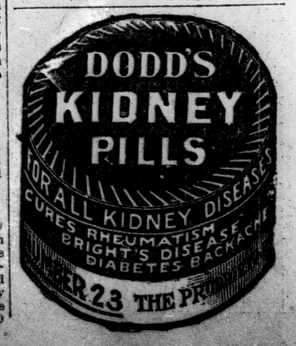
[Canadian Press.]

London, May 19.—The Amsterdam correspondent of the Post says the Dutch war minister announced in Parliament that a bill is being prepared providing universal compulsory military training. This measure would increase the army to approximately 1,000,000 men.

DORCHESTER'S AID TO RED CROSS.

DORCHESTER, May 18.—The annual talent tea in connection with the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church will be held in the basement at 3 o'clock on Wednesday, May 26.

At the last executive meeting of the Red Cross Society $25 was forwarded to headquarters in London for the support of a nurse in Shorncliffe Hospital, England. It was also decided to hold a garden party on the evening of June 16.



ONE WAY OF CELEBRATING EMPIRE DAY

Pupils of Grade 5, Talbot Street, Receive Letters From All Over World—Come From Children in British Possessions.

The pupils of grade 5, Talbot Street School, have written letters to British possessions all over the world, and are looking forward with great pleasure to the reading of the replies to the class, as a greeting from their fellow-Britons, on Empire Day. Many of the letters are of great interest, coming from remote parts of our great Empire, and all bespeaking patriotism and love for the motherland. The following letter from Tipperary was received by Clare Boyd:

37 Dillon Street, Tipperary,
March 12, 1915.

Dear Unknown Friend,—Some time ago our school teacher read to us your nice letter, and I decided to answer it, but could not do so immediately.

I have always desired to correspond with another child.

I shall give you a short description of Tipperary. It is a town with about four and a half thousand inhabitants, besides there are five thousand soldiers, who are accommodated in the military barracks, the workhouse, and a great many huts, which are about half a miles from the town.

We are supplied with water from the Galty Mountains, which are about two miles from here. The streets of the town are paved with flags, and are lighted by gas. There is beautiful scenery all around Tipperary, and there are lovely hills just opposite me now.

I like school, but I hate learning home-lessons. Do you like it? There are six schools in Tipperary, and I attend St. Michael's National School, and I am in the sixth class.

I am a Roman Catholic. I am twelve years old. What is your age? I have three sisters, and my father is dead.

Do you care for reading? I love it. We have a library at school, and we are allowed to take a book each week.

Have you heard of Mick O'Leary, the great Irish hero, who killed eight Germans and captured two prisoners within ten minutes? The papers of the British Isles are giving him great praise, which he well deserves. He won a V. C. and was made sergeant. It gave a great stir to recruiting in Tipperary, and eight boys enlisted in one day. We are all proud of Mick. Believe me, your true friend, MAY QUAIN.

P. S.—I hope this letter won't be torpedoed.

Equally Good Letters.

Other equally good letters from Tipperary arrived, written by Rita Heffernan and Annie Sheehan.

To Maude Ayling iomes this one from far-off Africa:

A. W. M. School, Kissy street, Freetown, Sierra Leone, April 16, 1915.

My Dear Unknown Friend,—We received your interesting letter with many thanks. We must first of all apologize for being so long in sending your reply. We are now going to give you a short description of Freetown, the capital of Sierra Leone. It is situated on the River Rokelle. We are not so fortunate as you to have paved streets lighted by electricity. We have only got oil lamps. Our streets are broad and rather rough. We possess nice, fresh, cool water, which comes from the hills. Now we are going to describe some of our schools. We have got several good schools in the colony, some of which are secondary schools.

Our school is called the Annie Walsh Memorial School; it was built by the father of that lady in memory of her. This is the highest school for girls on the west coast of Africa. It belongs to the Church Missionary Society.

There are three Europeans and nine Africans on the staff. We are 163 girls there. Our highest class works for the Cambridge local examinations. We have two honors boards on the walls of our schoolroom, and the senior girls all line to have their names put on there when they leave school. We also have a picture of Queen Victoria in our schoolroom, and one of King George in our dining-room.

When our English mistresses come into the schoolroom, we stand and greet them and they return our greeting. We thank you very much for kindly offering to send us a weekly paper, which we should like to have.

We have a school song which we sing on our reunion day, when old pupils join us for a social gathering. There is a college called Fourah Bay College, also a grammar school. These belong to the Church Missionary Society also. Our seasons are different from yours; they are only two, a wet season, which lasts from May to October, and the remainder of the year is hot and dry.

We hope to celebrate Empire Day here next month, when we go to salute the flag in presence of His Excellency the Governor.

We are, yours sincerely.
MURIEL NYLANDER,
AGATHA METZGER,
HEZIA BRODERICK.

This One From Wales.

From Swansea, Wales to Ruth Schussler:

47 Rhoyddings Park Road,
Swansea, Great Britain.

Dear Ruth: Miss Phipps, my head mistress, some time ago asked me to answer this letter.

I gather from it that you wish me to describe the part of the country in which I live. Swansea is a very old town, and it has a very old castle, which Cromwell visited during the Commonwealth.

About a century ago the neighborhood of Swansea was exceedingly beautiful, but now the northeast is very ugly indeed, it seems nothing but smoke and chimney stacks. For many works have been founded here, such as iron, steel, tinplate, copper, nickel, silver and gold. In fact, all kinds of metals are smelted and rolled here. There are also many collieries and chemical works here.

On the other hand, the southwest is extremely beautiful. The town itself stands on the bay, which is about twelve miles across. Swansea Bay is considered one of the most beautiful in Europe.

You will see on a map that to the southwest of Swansea is the Peninsula of Gower, which consists of numerous small, but very beautiful, bays, which thousands visit annually.

From Gower women come daily to sell cockles. They are all dressed in the picturesque Welsh costume.

We always celebrate St. David's Day and Empire Day here, but we do not sing the National Anthem daily as you do, and I wonder whether it is only since the war began that you have done so. I think that the teacher you mentioned used to teach in a school quite near my home.

I am fifteen years old, and go to the Municipal Secondary School, which is about one mile from my home. About three hundred scholars attend the girls' school.

It is a great pleasure to see how splendidly the colonies have come to the assistance of the old country during this time of war. Most of our young men that can be spared have joined the forces, but we must keep sufficient men at the works to manufacture supplies.

I am quite willing to be your correspondent. Hoping this letter will suit your purpose and will arrive in time. I remain, yours very sincerely,
GWENDOLYN MORRIS.

TODAY'S CASUALTY LIST

Ottawa, May 19.—The following casualties were announced this afternoon:

Thirteenth Battalion.

Wounded—Pte. Robert Morton, Birmingham, Eng.

Fifteenth Battalion.

Wounded—Pte. Joseph Emmanuel Filce, Surrey, Eng.

Pte. James Nagle, Clonakeily, Ireland.

Suffering from gas poisoning—Pte. Harry Henson, Leslie, Scotland.

Pte. John Robertson, Carron, Scotland.

Pte. Finlay McDougall, Paisley, Scotland.

Corpl. Percy Victor Hobbes, London, Eng.

Pte. William Devlin, Lockes, Scotland.

Pte. John Levick, London, Eng.

Sixteenth Battalion.

Wounded—Pte. J. W. Powell Jones (formerly 30th Battalion), Taunton, Eng.

Suffering from gas poisoning—Pte. C. H. Dodwell, Aylesbury, Eng.

Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry.

Seriously wounded—Pte. Harry Hunt Swan, Glasgow, Scotland.

First Battalion.

Died of wounds—Pte. Walter Edmund Peel, Norwich, Eng.

Wounded—Pte. Charles Ward, Farbolton, Eng.

Second Battalion.

Wounded—Pte. Eubert Claude Haysom, Reading, Eng.

Tenth Battalion.

Wounded—Pte. George Mead, London, Eng.

Sick from gas fumes—Pte. John Andrew Davin, Dublin, Ireland.

Fifteenth Battalion.

Suffering from gas poisoning—Pte. Norman Denis Moore, Newmilnes, Scotland.

ADDITIONAL FORCES LAND IN GALLIPOLI

Allies Said to Have Received Reinforcements in Dardanelles Fight.

[Canadian Press.]

London, May 19.—An Athens dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, dated yesterday, says it is reported at Mytilene that the Allies disembarked fresh troops Monday night near Kum-Kale, on the Asiatic coast of the Dardanelles. It also has been learned there that the Turks on the Gallipoli peninsula, who for weeks have lacked artillery ammunition, have obtained an abundant supply of shells in the past few days.

TURKS ACTIVE.

London, May 19.—All reserve officers in the Bulgarian army have been called to the colors for a month's training, says a Times dispatch from Sofia.

The Turks are hurrying troops, provisions and munitions from Lule Burgas and Keshan to the Gallipoli peninsula. All siege guns and modern artillery have been removed from Adrianople and sent to the Aegean coast. Keshan and Malgara are being hastily fortified.

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SEPTIC TANKS

but it is only within the past three or four years that they have been actively enforced by the provincial board of health. As a result no more sewers are being connected to the river. However, the laws have not been made retroactive as yet, and no steps have been taken by the board of health to force the city to treat all sewage. If this were done it would mean that London would be put to considerable expense for the construction of a number of separate systems.

Request Refused.

At the last meeting of the board of health a request was submitted for a sewer for Clarence street south district. It was unanimously signed but had to be refused because the only outlet would be through a sewer emptying direct into the river. At that time, Mayor H. A. Stevenson explained that the city was considering the establishment of a separate sewer system for these "flats" and would construct a separate septic tank to treat the sewage.

Last year a similar project was under consideration for Carfrae street and Crescent for the sewers from many short streets and houses empty into a common private drain just west of the Traction bridge.

Sewers Empty Into River.

Going along the bank of the river from this point, there are approximately half a dozen sewers emptying into the river before King street is reached, where the big interceptory runs. At Ridout street a sewer empties into the river that drains the street from the bridge to about Craig street; there is another at York street, and the remainder are at intervening points.

It has been estimated that the cost of separate septic tanks for the Carfrae district and for the Clarence and South street districts would be in the neighborhood of $1,500 each. One to take care of the sewage now emptying into the river at Wellington street would require approximately the same sum.

Means Large Outlay.

If once the board of health takes hold of the propositin it means a large outlay, but the question is regarded as a serious one, and it is believed that it can be put through before long.

The direct sewers mentioned above are those from the south branch of the Thames only. Similar conditions apply to the north branch, and a walk from, say Adelaide street down to the forks, along the river bank, is sufficient to convince anyone of the amount of raw, untreated refuse and sewage that goes into the Thames every day.

LOANS RESIDENCE

Col. A. M. Smith Offers Home for Convalescents.

Col. A. M. Smith, of this city, today notified the military authorities that he would loan his residence to them to be used as a convalescent home for soldiers who are wounded in active service and invalided home.

Col. Shannon and the military authorities are laud in their praise for the action of Col. A. M. Smith, and his offer will likely be immediately accepted, and the house turned into a military hospital.

USING PHONOGRAPHS TO PUBLISH SENTIMENTS

Italians Treat German and Austrian Consulates to National Airs.

Rome, May 19.—Certain residents of Rome have discovered a new method of conveying their sentiments to the official representatives of Austria and Germany. The German and Austrian consulates are situated near each other in Gregorana street. Residents of the nearby houses have placed phonographs in their windows, the horns pointed toward the consulates. All day long these phonographs clamorously grind out Italian national airs.

CHORAL SOCIETY CONCERT SUCCESS

Latter Day Saints and Friends Spent Enjoyable Evening.

The concert given by the Choral Society of the Latter Day Saints Church, on Maitland street, last evening was a decided success. The society, of which Bert Richardson is the leader, and Mrs. T. G. Richardson the organist, put up a splendid program. Bro. T. R. Seaton was the chairman. Rev. S. W. L. Scott opened the concert with prayer, and later rendered several solos. Those who participated in the program included the members of the choir, who rendered several choruses, and the following: Instrumental, Mrs. Scoyne; solos, Mrs. Marie Mottashed; readings, Miss Oliver Robinson; solos, Mrs. Ethel Gray; violin selections, Miss Emma Hilts; readings, Mrs. Eckert; solos, Athol Henry; solos, Will O'Dell; solo by Bert Richardson, "Never Let the Old Flag Fall," assisted by the choir; violin selections, Mr. McVay, of Thamesford; readings, Mrs. Winegarden; solos, G. R. Seath; solos, Miss Ruby Jenkins, of Thamesford; instrumentals by Messrs. Walter Smith and Joe Hyslop. Lunch was served at the conclusion of the concert.

ABOUT THREE-QUARTERS OF HIGHLANDERS GONE

Officer Says 3rd Brigade Bore Brunt at Langemarck.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, May 19. — Letters coming through confirm the report that the Canadians showed class at Langemarck. The following is an extract from a letter from one of the officers, who was in the thick of the trouble: "This time there is no exaggeration of the gallantry of our troops, the losses or of the great work they accomplished. They saved the situation, and it was the third brigade, the Highlanders, that were on the flank and bore the brunt. From the 22nd till the 27th, we had only a few hours' sleep altogether. It was absolutely wonderful what our boys did. We are so proud. They are better even than we ever dreamed, but there is not much left of the dear old 3rd Highland Brigade, about three-quarters being gone."

$140,000 FOR MAY

Building Permits In This Sum to Date This Month.

With nine more business days on which permits can be issued, May is leading April by more than $20,000 for building values, according to the returns on file in the office of Building Inspector A. M. Piper. The total permits issued up to nooon today was 137, and the aggregate value was $140,000.

The largest single permit of the year to date was issued this morning when John Hayman & Sons, Limited, secured one for the $30,000 two-story reinforced concrete building being erected by The Advertiser Job Printing Company, Limited, at the corner of York and Wellington streets.

Other permits issued included the following: J. B. Smallman, iron garage, 418 Queen's avenue, $125; J. M. Shoebottom, foundation, 867 Colborne street, $200 ;James Barless, veranda, Lorne avenue, $150; W. Smith, one-story brick-veneer house, Palmer street, $1,250; Thomas Scott, veranda, 91 Bruce street, $150; Ed. Hayden, iron garage, 410 Oxford street, $150; E. Kipp, one-story frame dwelling, Gunn street, $600.

"QUIET HALF HOUR"

W. M.'s Members Listen to Discussion of Organizers' Reports.

This morning's session of the annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society in Askin Street Church was taken up largely by reports from the organizers of the many branches of the society in Western Ontario, all of which were shown to be in flourishing condition, although several of the reports made mention of the fact that contributions to the funds had fallen off in some cases as a result of the war, and the consequent demands from other charitable institutions.

A "quiet half-hour" was conducted by Mrs. T. E. Harrison, second vice-president, who gave an excellent address, the theme of which was the joy of sacrifice. Sacrifice in serving, she declared, was a cure for sorrow. It brought ample reward in the knowledge of help given and happiness brought to others.

The meeting decided to send flowers and a message of sympathy to Mrs. John Cottain, president of the Askin Street Auxiliary, who was prevented from welcoming the delegates yesterday on account of illness.

HYDRO RADIALS MAY HOLD UP BREAKWATER

Work Not Started Yet, and May Not Be for Some Time.

Talk of hydro radials for London district and the suggestion that the West London breakwater be used as the entrance to London for those to the north, is likely to hold up work on the construction of the West London breakwater this year. The board of works, after going over the question and after a personal tour of the proposed breakwater, has decided to await developments along the hydro radial end of it.

From present indications it seems likely that the hydro radial union will be asked to express some kind of an opinion as to whether or not the breakwater entry is feasible. If it is and a favorable report is secured from the provincial hydro-electric engineers, some changes will undoubtedly be made in the breakwater plans.

In order to secure the right-of-way for the radials and make a "parkway" for the citizens as well as provide protection, is a bigger order than was first anticipated with a mere breakwater. It may mean hat entire new plans, specifications and profiles will have to be secured before anything is done.

SOME MYSTERY IN CHRISTINE SINKING

Government Steamer Rammed by Unknown Vessel, Probably a Canadian.

SEVERAL OF CREW LOST

Official Inquiry To Be Held Into Accident Off Orleans Island.

[Canadian Press.]

Quebec, May 19.—Rammed under the floating line by an unknown vessel at 8 o'clock last night, some twenty-five miles below Quebec, the Canadian Government steamer Christine, doing post duty at the naval station of Maheux River, Island of Orleans, foundered five minutes after the shock, and now lies presumbaly under 60 feet of water, close to the navigation channel. She was 126 feet long, 20 feet beam, and had a draught of 9.6 feet. She belonged to John S. Thom, and was formerly a private yacht owned by Lord Strathcona. Her owner valued her at $30,000.

Two Stories.

When she was rammed last night she was at the naval station, together with the steamer Bartlett, belonging to the Montreal Transportation Company.

There are two varying versions of the accident. One says that the boat that rammed the Christine had passed the station without answering the summons to report and submit to examination, and that she only returned to the station when signals, exchanged between the Maheux station and the Martineere fort showed that she was to be fired on if she did not submit to examination. This story, however, cannot be confirmed.

Another Version.

Another story says that the Christine got in the other vessel's way before the latter had reached the station, and that its headway bore it into the station boat. The commander of the Christine, Capt. Kennedy, an old seafarer, was on the deck when the shadow of the oncoming boat loomed out of the night. He was knocked to the deck and in a semi-conscious condition, was rescued after his ship had gone to the bottom.

Exactly where the Christine went down cannot yet be ascertained, but the marine department officials say she is outside of the channel. Capt. Kennedy stated this morning at the military hospital in this city that his ship is under 60 feet of water.

At 6 o'clock this morning, the tug Sprah, of the J. S. Thom Company, left for the scene of the disaster, and is expected here this afternoon at 2:30 with the survivors, and those of the dead that have been recovered.

INQUIRY TO BE HELD.

[Canadian Press.]

Ottawa, May 19.—Marine officials will conduct an inquiry into the sinking of the Government steamer Christine off the Island of Orleans. Details at hand here are meagre, but it is stated that she was rammed by another Government boat that should not have been in the vicinity. The Christine was about 100 feet long, and her crew was that put aboard by her owners when she was chartered by the Government, but it is also believed a few Government employees were also on board when the accident occurred.

Eight Drowned.

Quebec, May 19.—Among the eight drowned in the loss of the Christine is Gunner F. Fletcher. The following are known safe:

Lieut. Branger, of the Royal Canadian Naval Reserve; chief engineer and his assistant, with a fireman named Caron, from Levis.

WALL STREET.

1:30 p.m.—Trading came to another standstill in the early afternoon, when prices made gradual recovery to yesterday's level. The market was featureless, however, except for moderately heavy selling of Wabash fours at concessions.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

J. M. Young, 18 Dominion Savings building, reports fluctuations in New York stocks as follows:

New York, May 19.

Trunk Lines and Grangers—				
Baltimore & Ohio	71¾	72	71¾	72
Erie, com.	25¼	25½	25	25½
Erie, 1st pfd.	40⅛	40⅛	40	40⅛
Great Northern	117	117	116⅝	117
New Haven	61½	62⅛	61¼	62⅛
Rock Island Ry.	22⅛	22¼	22⅛	22¼
Rock Island, pfd.	½	..	..	..
St. Paul	89⅜	..	..	..
Wabash, com.	½	..	..	..
Wabash, pfd.	1⅛	1⅛	1	1
Pacifics and Southerns—				
Atchison, com.	98⅝	98⅞	98½	98½
Canadian Pacific	157½	158	157	158
Louis. & Nash.	116	..	..	..
Missouri Pacific	11½	11¾	10¼	10⅞
Northern Pacific	103¾	104¼	103¼	104¼
Southern Pacific	86¾	87⅛	86⅝	87⅛
Southern Railway	16¼	..	..	..
Union Pacific	124⅜	124½	123⅝	124⅛
Coalers—				
Ches. & Ohio	42½	42½	40¼	40¾
Pennsylvania	107⅛	107⅛	106¾	106¾
Reading Railway	142	142¾	141⅞	142½
Traction Shares—				
Brooklyn Transit	86⅞	..	..	..
Interboro, com.	20⅞	21	20⅜	20½
Interboro, pfd.	70¼	70¼	70	70
Industrials—				
Am. Beet Sugar	43½	43¾	43½	43¾
American Can	32⅞	33¼	32⅝	33⅛
American Car	50	..	..	..
Am. Locomotive	43½	..	..	..
Amer. Smelters	65	65⅜	65	65⅝
Consolidated Gas	123	..	..	..
U. S. Rubber	60½	60½	60	60
Western Union	65	..	..	..
Copper Shares—				
Amal. Copper	66	66½	65⅝	65¾
Anaconda Copper	31½	31¾	31½	31½
Miami Copper	23⅞	23⅞	23½	23½
Tennessee Copper	32¾	33	32¾	32⅞
Utah Copper	63⅞	64⅛	63½	63⅞
Oil Shares—				
Am. Cotton Oil	44½	..	..	..
Mex. Petroleum	67½	68¾	65⅝	66
Steel Shares—				
Bethlehem Steel	132	134½	132	134
Beth. Steel, pfd.	111¼	..	..	..
Pressed Steel Car	42	43⅞	42	43⅞
Republic Steel	26½	..	..	..
U. S. Steel	52	52⅞	52	52¾
Money, per cent	2	..	..	..

Sales to noon, 126,700 shares.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

[Reported by J. M. Young, Broker.]

Chicago, May 19.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	$1 52¾	1 54	1 51	1 51¼
July	1 26⅜	1 27¾	1 24½	1 25¼
Sept.	1 20¾	1 21¾	1 19	1 19⅞
Corn—				
May	73⅜	73⅜	72⅝	72⅝
July	75⅞	75⅞	74⅞	75⅛
Sept.	76⅞	77⅛	76	76⅜
Oats—				
May	51⅜	51½	50⅜	51
July	50½	50⅜	49⅞	50⅛
Sept.	45½	45⅜	45⅛	45⅜

CHICAGO PROVISION MARKET.

[Reported by J. M. Young, Broker.]

Chicago, May 19.

Pork—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	$17 95	18 00	17 90	17 92
Sept.	18 20	18 25	18 20	18 22
Lard—				
July	9 60	9 62	9 60	9 60
Sept.	9 80	9 87	9 80	9 85
Ribs—				
July	10 47	10 50	10 47	10 47
Sept.	10 75	10 75	10 72	10 72

WHEAT OPTIONS.

[Quotations by Thomson & McKinnon.]

Winnipeg, May 19.—Wheat—Close—May, $1 58¾; July, $1 56⅝; October, $1 20½.

Minneapolis, May 19.—Wheat—Close—May, $1 49⅞; July, $1 44.

"TED" SUMMERS TELLS OF BEING WOUNDED



LANCE-CORP. SUMMERS received an injury to his left foot when a bursting piece of shell struck it.

LONDON MACHINISTS GOING TO ENGLAND

Will Serve in Armament Factories and "Do Their Bit," Too.

London has already witnessed the departure of many contingents and units to the firing line, but tomorrow night it will witness the departure of the first contingent of another type of soldiers. These will be the London machinists, who are going with the Amalgamated Society of Engineers to the old land to serve, not on the firing line, but in the armament factories in order that the firing line may be supplied with the munitions of war to end for all time the German militarism.

Seven in number the London contingent, all of whom are local men, and have enlisted for a period of at least six months, will be joined at Toronto by some 200 members of the union who have enlisted there, and at other points in the district. At Montreal another detachment will join the party, and they will sail on the Corsican.

The destination of the London men will be the Vickers-Maxim Steel Works at Barrow, where they will be engaged in the manufacture of shells and artillery. Their passage is being paid by the Government, and they will be free to return to Canada at the end of their six months' enlistment, or if they so desire can remain in the old land for the duration of the war, signing on for that time.

The machinists from this city are: Ed. Watson, D. Thomas, G. H. Evans, W. French, H. Walker, Robt. Watson, G. H. Scollick.

PACKING UP DAY

Soldiers Move Into Camp at Carling's Heights Tomorrow.

Today is packing-up day for Mr. Thomas Atkins, who has orders to be ready at 9 o'clock Thursday morning to move into camp at Carling's Heights. Mr. Atkins, as usual, will be quite ready, in fact, he will be ready by tonight, and his work of packing has been done quickly and quietly and without any of the fuss that people moving are accustomed to. Not that the soldiers have nothing to move. They have a great deal. Besides all their general equipment there are quantities of supplies, office equipment, hospital equipment, etc., etc.

Over 300 tents have been erected on Carling's Heights, and Thursday morning nearly 3,000 troops will move in. As a general rule, nine men will occupy a tent. The big camp will, when the soldiers arrive, take on the aspect of a very busy town, and many citizens are expected to visit the heights and see what has been and is being done.

The task of cooking for 3,000 men is no small one, but all the arrangements are complete for giving the men their meals as usual.

Men Delighted.

The men themselves are delighted at the prospect of going under canvas. Some of them have hit upon an ingenious scheme for keeping their tents warm on nights such as last night, when there is a lot of frost in the air. By the simple expedient of attaching a small oil lamp to the tent pole it has been found that enough heat will be supplied to keep everything very cosy. Each man contributes a few cents a week for oil.

The field postoffice will not go into "canvas" quarters. The building which has been used at the fair grounds will be moved to the heights, and Lieut. Sharman and his capable staff will do their work in it as usual.

Special street cars, which have been running to Queen's Park, will be diverted to the Oxford and belt lines, and plenty of accommodation afforded for all the soldiers.

TOM MOON TO BE INVALIDED HOME

Injuries He Received at Langemarck Incapacitate Him.

Injuries he received in his right hand in the second battle at Ypres, when the second line, of which he was in charge, and which took back trenches which the Germans had taken from the French, will result in Tom Moon, son of Mrs. W. H. Moon, Chester street, being invalided back to this city shortly. A letter telling of his injury follows:

May 1, 1915.

Dear Mrs. Moon,—Your son Tom has asked me to write for him, as his right hand is at present out of working order. He is doing well, and expects soon to be able to return home to Canada, as doctors have practically declared that as the right hand is damaged he is not likely to be fit for further service in the war. He wants you to know that he is in excellent spirits and in good health, apart from the wound, which is not serious. He was wounded in what is known as the second battle of Ypres, the worst of the war so far. He was in the second line of the charge that took back the trenches which the Germans had taken from the French; and the work was done in pitch darkness. You have no doubt read the full account of what was done by the Canadians in this affair, Which Sir John French said "saved the situation." Yours truly,

WILLIAM ARMSTRONG,
Presbyterian Minister.

P. S.—He sent a cablegram to you today, so that you would know he was safe, and he trusted you have not worried since receiving it.

WANTS TO GO IN BODY.—The board of works has requested that it be sent as a whole as the London delegates to the town-planning convention that will be held in Detroit on June 6.

ELECTRIC LIGHT BATH

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LOCAL NEWS

—Sergt. Lucas, of the police force, today received a card from Pte. James Oakley, in which he states that he has come safely through the recent terrific fighting in France.

RED CROSS DONATIONS. — Red Cross donations recently received are: Anonymous $25; "for Dr. Hale and my soldiers," 75c; anonymous, 25c.

SMALL FIRE.—Fire apparatus had a run to the residence of R. M. Birrell, 628 Talbot street, late yesterday afternoon, when a small blaze was discovered in a partition. Damage was slight.

THIRTY CASES HEARD.—In the ninth division court yesterday, Judge Edward Elliott heard about thirty cases. H. Frank Whetter is clerk of the court.

HOSPITAL TRUST MEETING.—There is a meeting of the hospital trust at the city hall tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock. Routine business only is expected to be brought up.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED. — Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Winnett announce the engagement of their daughter, Stella, to Mr. John Gilmore, son of the late James Gilmore, M. P. and Mrs. Gilmore. The marriage will take place in June.

CONSIDERED APPLICATIONS. — There was a special meeting of the board of control today. It proved to be a minority one, however, and only routine work was taken up. Some insurance applications for the protection of London soldiers were considered.

HURON DIOCESE BUYS. — The property on the corner of Hamilton road and Hyla street, on which is erected St. David's Mission Church, was sold yesterday by auction to the Synod of the Diocese of Huron for the sum of $1,675. D. H. Porter officiated as auctioneer.

MUST KEEP PEACE.—James Pernokis and William Mickis, who took a dislike to each other, and who have had a number of arguments, were today bound over by His Worship Police Magistrate J. C. Judd for the sum of $50 for one year to keep the peace.

ANSWER TO QUERY.—Have the buyers for horses for the imperial army been prohibited again from buying horses in Western Ontario?—Inquisitive. Ans.—Yes, and in Eastern Ontario also, as the British Government has all the mounts needed for the present.

67 CENTS ON $1.00.—The stock in trade of J. U. Clemens, of Galt, insolvent, was sold yesterday by auction at the office of Gibbons, Harper & Gibbons, to Willard Walton & Co., of Galt, realizing 67 cents on the dollar. D. H. Porter, auctioneer. Henry Macklin, assignee.

JOINS 33RD BUGLE BAND.—Sergt. Slann, formerly of the 1st Grenadier Guards, has joined the 33rd Battalion bugle band. He is one of the oldest men in the service at Queen's Park, having entered in 1873. Sergt. Nanfan, who is in command of the bugle band, entered the militia in 1872.

FINISH INSTALLATION.—Waterworks Superintendent Thomas Hodkinson will this week finish the installation of the new waterworks system in Victoria Park. There are several more sanitary drinking fountains to be installed, as well as repairs to be made to the big central fountain.

TWILIGHT ORGAN RECITAL.—At 5 o'clock this afternoon, in the First Methodist Church, A. D. Jordan, the organist, will give his last recital before leaving for the Panama-Pacific Exposition. Judging from the large attendance at the last one, London music lovers will turn out in large numbers to hear him.

DRUNK AND DISORDERLY.—Ejected from the Bank Hotel last night, a local man commenced to tell the owner of that place what he thought of him, with the result that he was taken to police headquarters, and today when he appeared before His Worship Police Magistrate J. C. Judd, he was assessed $3, when found guilty on a drunk and disorderly charge.

PLAING TO CAPACITY HOUSES.—The Princess Theatre is playing to capacity this week. It is showing excellent film plays and the "Musical Cockpit, the Masqueraders," is taking well. The play includes singing and dancing of good clean quality, well staged. Smith and Pulliam, the fashion plate dancers, are a particularly good team.

GETS NASTY CUT.—Robert Temple, a Pere Marquette engineer, while in the act of going down into the basement of the Tecumseh House last night, slipped on the iron stairway and was plunged headlong onto the tile floor a dozen feet below, receiving a nasty scalp wound and a number of bruises. Dr. D. H. Hogg was summoned, and after dressing the man's injuries, he had him removed to his home.

NO CONNECTION BETWEEN TWO.—Mrs. Jack Struad, 362 York street, has appealed to The Advertiser to explain that her husband, Sergt. Jack Struad, recently invalided home from the front on account of sickness, has no connection with a man names James Stroud, who was recently sent to jail on a charge of theft. Believing that Sergt. Struad is identical with the other man, the Patriotic Fund Association, according to Mrs. Struad, has not forwarded an allowance for her and her family.

SERVICES FREE OF CHARGE.—London physicians have given their services free of charge to more than 150 of the wives and families of soldiers who have gone to the front from London, at Victria Hospital since the first of the year. Many more persons have been attended by doctors at their own homes. When the war broke out, London doctors organized an association, agreeing to attend the families of soldiers at the front, free of charge. The city is divided into districts, the physicians attending those in need of their services in their own district.

PUBLIC INVITED.—The public are cordially invited to attend the complimentary organ recital in the First Presbyterian Church on Thursday evening, the 20th inst., at 8 o'clock. Mr. George Lethbridge will preside at the organ, and will be assisted by his pupil, Miss Grace Elliott, of Galt, at the piano. Mr. Lethbridge has created a distinct impression as a result of his exceptional ability since coming to take charge of the organ and choir of First Presbyterian Church, and all who attend this recital are assured of a delightful evening. There will be no admission charge or collection.

BLAME ELECTROLYSIS. — Electrolysis from the street railway rails is being blamed by the waterworks department for the big break in the 6-inch main on Wortley road. When the men under Superintendent Thomas Hodkinson dug through to the main they found that it had been eaten through for several inches, with the result that it "blew out." Water was turned on again at 5 o'clock last night, and as soon as the fill has settled the concrete base will be put in and the bricks replaced.

CELEBRATE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.—A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Smith, 7 Renwick avenue, on Tuesday evening, May 18, when about thirty friends and relatives assembled to celebrate the tenth anniversary of their marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Smith, during the evening, were the recipients of a handsome mantel clock and a beautiful bouquet of roses. Miss Elsie Arthur read a touching address, while William Smith, sen., made the presentation. Although taken completely by surprise Mr. Smith made a very appropriate reply.

REMOVE UNSIGHTLY CANS.—It is beginning to look as if the fate of the unsightly waste paper boxes that adorn (?) the main corners of theo ity is now sealed. The council has dealt with the question once this year and decided to take no action, believing that the franchise for the advertising cans expired in September of this year. However, the expiration date is ten years from September 1, 1906, which brings it out that the franchise has still a year and more to run. The board of health has taken action on the question of the cans, and has made a recommendation to the council that they be either removed or that the franchise be discontinued. The board of works has made a similar recommendation, and it is expected that the board of control will bring in a recommendation giving the required six months' notice for the removal of the cans.

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RECONSTRUCTION

main unchanged, and will be settled when the war is over."

COALITION EXPECTED.

[Canadian Press.]

London, May 19.—"The Government has definitely sought co-operation of the Opposition and Opposition leaders have, in principle, consented to join it," says the parliamentary correspondent of the Times in discussing the proposed coalition cabinet. "But nothing is likely to be decided until the Unionist leaders have obtained the formal backing of their followers at a party meeting. There can be little doubt of the result, for although the Unionist party never has been enamored of coalition, the present situation has neither precedent nor parallel. If an equal share of power is offered, not merely in weight of numbers, but in the importance of offices, such an offer put forward on patriotic grounds cannot reasonably be rejected when the alternative is either a steadily-weakening Government or a general election. The Labor party also naturally would be represented in such a national Government."

Ministers Indicated.

All the morning papers agree that the Government's increasing difficulties led it to seek the co-operation of Unionist leaders. They indicate the resigning ministers as Viscount Haldane, lord high chancellor; Lewis Harcourt, secretary of state for colonies; A. Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland; the Earl of Beauchamp, first commissioner of works; Baron Lucas, president of the board of agriculture; J. A. Pease, president of the board of education, and C. E. Hobhouse, postmaster-general.

When it was suggested yesterday that there should be a secret session to discuss the question of high explosives, Premier Asquith replied that in his opinion such a discussion would be inopportune and prejudicial to the strategic situation, and that he hoped the subject would not thus be raised in debate.

The Cause.

The trouble between Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, and Lord Fisher resulted from the British cabinet sanctioning the first naval attack on the Dardanelles in ignorance of the fact that the sea lords were opposed to naval operations until supported by a land force. Lord Fisher felt acutely the discredit of the sea lords thus involved and decided to resign. Faced with an acute ministerial crisis, accompanied by angry parliamentary debates, the Government resolved to seek a coalition with the Unionists.

Among the latest rumors is one to the effect that Lord Kitchener is to become generalissimo and that David Lloyd-George will succeed him at the war office.

Papers Support Fisher.

A majority of the newspapers support Lord Fisher in the controversy with Churchill, and sustain his argument that the naval campaign should be free from civilian control, the same as the army has been.

The Morning Post has led in the criticism of Mr. Churchill. Its chief charges against him have been that he insisted on the successful attempt to force the passage of the Dardanelles with the fleet, against the opinion of sea lords; that the enterprise he personally directed of taking the naval brigade to Antwerp was a costly failure, and that the responsibility was his for Rear-Admiral Cradock meeting the German admiral, Von Spee, off Chile, with an inferior squadron.

On the other side of the account, Mr. Churchill is given credit for the mobilization of the fleet at the beginning of the war and for the efficient condition in which it entered the war.

General Charges.

The general charges of the critics of the Government have been the failure of the Government to appreciate the magnitude of the war and provide munitions on the mammoth scale events have proven was necessary, failure to show a strong hand in dealing with the German contingent in the country, and, generally, that more practical men of affairs and fewer lawyers are needed in the directorate of the Government's destinies.

It is taken for granted that Viscount Haldane, lord high chancellor, Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland and Lewis Harcourt, secretary of state for the colonies, will retire in case of a reorganization of the Cabinet. Viscount Haldane's ability is unquestioned, but the constant attacks upon him because of his previous German affiliation and his famous remark that "Germany is my spiritual home," have undermined popular confidence in the whole-heartedness of his participation in the war against the Germans.

Churchill to Have Place.

Mr. Birrell has long wanted to retire from politics. Mr. Balfour's name has been brought forward as the successor to Mr. Churchill at the admiralty. While it is recognized that Mr. Churchill's talents are too conspicuous to be overlooked and he will be given another portfolio, Mr. Balfour has been a prominent member of the imperial defence committee and is a friend of Lord Fisher. He has had a room at the admiralty during the war, and is believed to have exerted his influence as a conciliator between Lord Fisher and Mr. Churchill until their differences reached the breaking point.

Mr. Bonar Law, who is the most prominent businessman in Parliament, is spoken of for the exchequer portfolio. The Pall Mall Gazette suggests that a new position, "ministry of supplies," be created, in which Mr. Lloyd George's energy could find scope.

Not Certain Yet.

Lord Reading, who, as chief justice, has been Mr. Lloyd George's chief adviser on financial measures, is a Cabinet possibility to succeed Lord Haldane, as is also the Conservative Commoner, F. E. Smith.

Lord Lansdowne, whose position as Conservative leader in the House of Lords and whose long experience in public life would entitle him to a high Cabinet place, is barred by ill-health. There is yet strong opposition on both sides to a coalition Cabinet, and it is in no way certain that one will be formed. Premier Asquith conferred with the Conservative leaders yesterday, and an announcement regarding the situation is expected from him today.

CAN'T MAKE TRIP AS ROAD NOT READY

7th Regiment Members Were To Go to Port Stanley Over L. and P. S. R. on the 24th.

Major William Spittal, officer commanding the 7th Fusiliers and secretary of the London and Port Stanley Railway Commission, makes the following statement:

The officers of the 7th Regiment wish to announce to the members of the regiment that the trip to Port Stanley, when it was proposed to go down on May 22 and return on May 24, is off, so far as May 24 is concerned.

This is due to a series of unavoidable circumstances. First, the rolling stock has not yet arrived; the machinery, which the public utilities commission is installing for the purpose of power on the line will scarcely be ready on the 24th; the chief engineer of the road has been laid up for three weeks owing to an operation, and the man originally slated for the management of the road died a month ago in Toronto.

Everything, however, will be in running order in a short time.

SPECIAL SHIPMENTS ARE REFUSED FOR HOSPITALS

Mrs. Bowker, corresponding secretary of the Red Cross Society, has today received the following important message from Noel Marshall, honorary secretary of the Canadian Red Cross Association:

Toronto May 18, 1915.

Mrs. Bowker,
Care Dominion Bank,
London, Ont.

Commissioner cables today from England, saying "You must refuse shipments of goods to special hospitals or officers. I cannot guarantee delivery under present war conditions." The executive committee therefore requests al branches of the Canadian Red Cross to make this fact widely known and to refuse from this date to accept any further supplies addressed to any particular hospital or officer. Assure public that all Canadian hospitals at the front have been invited to draw on general stock of Red Cross goods in care of Colonel Hodgetts.

NOEL MARSHALL.

18TH COMMANDER GETS DECORATION

Lieut.-Col. Wigle Receives Colonial Auxiliary Officer's Medal.

Word was received at militia headquarters this afternoon that Lieut.-Col. Wigle, commander of the 18th Battalion, has been awarded the colonial auxiliary officers' decoration. This consists of a green ribbon, and is given to officers who complete twenty years of service. Lieut.-Col. Wigle has been with the 21st Regiment of Windsor for that length of time. The decoration will be forwarded to him from the local headquarters.

VETERAN DIES.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, May 19.—Gen. Thomas H. Hubbard, a prominent attorney and a director in many railroads and financial institutions, and a veteran of the civil war, died here today.

Good-bye, Curling Iron! Better Method Found

Don't burn the life out of your hair with that instrument of torture, the curling-iron. There is nothing that will so thoroughly dry out and break off the hair, giving it that ragged, unkempt appearance.

You will be glad to learn that you can keep your hair beautifully wavy and curly by using a perfectly harmless liquid known to druggists as "silmerine." You need only apply a little with a clean toothbrush before retiring, and in the morning you will be most agreeably surprised with the effect. And this effect lasts for a considerable time, even in damp weather, so a small bottle goes a long way and is quite economical to use. Pure silmerine is really beneficial to the hair, and there is no greasiness, stickiness or anything unpleasant about it. It is a good idea to divide the hair into strands and moisten these one at a time, drawing the brush down the full length.

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A CHALLENGE TO KULTUR.

IN SUCH a crisis as the United States faces today it is not unnatural that every comment or remark of its chief executive, however trivial and commonplace, should be searched for some reference to the crisis. How much more is it the case when the head of the nation delivers a public address. Following his recent speech at Philadelphia, President Wilson declared that his words on that occasion were misunderstood and misapplied. Particularly he referred to his phrase "too proud to fight." He says that there was too much importance attached to that remark when a large section of the press of all nations read it as meaning that the United States would not go to war with Germany. Perhaps it was this that caused the President, in his eulogy of the American navy at New York, Monday, to declare that the American battleships were "engines to promote the interests of humanity." There's plenty of fight in that phrase if one is seeking it, more than sufficient to make up for the lack of it at Philadelphia.

That was a big statement of Dr. Wilson's, worthy of the big man he is. It was more than mere rhetoric, for undoubtedly it was made to be read into the present situation. We may be sure that the words were selected with the greatest care. And to promote the interests of humanity at the present hour, how can the President avoid lining up actively with the Allies? Is it not in the best interests of humanity that Kultur which would obliterate democracy be crushed completely and at once? Are the ferocity and ruthlessness that devastated Belgium and sank the Lusitania not at the other extreme to that mercifulness, selflessness and fair dealing that make for the best interests of humanity? Prussian ideals and American ideals are as far apart as the poles and no one will question the assertion that the latter are in the interests of humanity. President Wilson's words rather condemn him, because of his refusal to register the protest of the American nation at the Belgian outrage. Surely it would have been in the interests of humanity for the great republic to have protested against wiping out of a little nation by a powerful neighbor, and to have backed it up with those "engines." Perhaps President Wilson realizes now that the United States acted wrongly in standing to one side. When he declares that the American battleships are "engines to promote the interests of humanity," it rings like a challenge to that arrogance and savagery that is anything but beneficial to humanity.

MUNSTERBERG AGAIN.

PROFESSOR Munsterberg recently resumed his argument, after some silence. This time he is rather more cunning than is usual with German apologists, and appears in fact, to get in a solid body blow upon both H. G. Wells and Dr. C. W. Eliot.

He quotes Wells as writing in May 1914, only three months before the war:

"We are intensely jealous of Germany, not only because the Germans outnumber us and have a much larger and more diversified country than ours and lie in the very heart and body of Europe, but because in the last hundred years, while we have fed on platitudes and vanity, they have had the energy and humility to develop a splendid system of national education, to toil at science and art and literature, to develop social organization, to master and better our methods of business and industry and to clamber above us in the scale of civilization."

This looks like a score on an English spokesman, and Herr Munsterberg follows it up with a quotation from an ante-bellum speech of the veteran exponent of American culture, the sage of Boston and Harvard. Just a year ago Dr. Eliot said, speaking of American students who had gone to Germany that they saw

". . how two great doctrines which had sprung from the German Protestant Reformation had been developed by Germans from seed then planted in Germany. The first was the doctrine of universal education developed from the Protestant conception of individual responsibility, and the second was the great doctrine of civil liberty, liberty in industry, in society, in government, liberty with order under law. These two principles took their rise in Protestant Germany, and America has been the greatest beneficiary of that noble teaching."

At first sight these quotations look damaging to the view that German "culture" ranks away below that of the Anglo-Saxons. And certainly Munsterberg shows himself more cunning than the Dernburgs or Bernstorffs as a debater. However, it is clear enough that H. G. Wells was writing in an angry impatience with the slowness of reform in Great Britain, especially as regards education. Wells' hobby for a long time has been the promotion of natural science and engineering. Educational reform "comes slowly up this way," e.g. phonetic spelling. Wells has been lamenting. No one denies that Germany has led the world in certain practical lines of education, e.g. vocational and scientific. Wells would easily harmonize what he said in May 1914 with his recent statement that the Germans are a lot of highly trained Zulus. Their organization has been misdirected and perverted, that is all; and of course the war has shown up some things.

As for Dr. Eliot's assertion that the doctrine of civil liberty arose in Protestant Germany, it is evident to any careful reader of the passage quoted that he had no thought of 19th century Prussia and the Hohenzollerns as the authors of civil liberty. The great Eliot is not in his dotage.

LET'S WASH THE RIVER.

YESTERDAY The Advertiser held up the dear old, but dirty river Thames as a target for the guns of those who like to hunt in the jungles of civic indifference.

We are glad to be able to say that the first shot scores a bull's-eye, and it is given herewith, an excellent editorial by a layman and a sane optimist who no doubt has a score of local eyesores and nosesores listed which should be given heroic treatment by citizens. The letter is as follows:

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

Thank you for your good editorial of today on "The Filthy Thames."

Sometimes it is well to drag the family skeleton from the closet, and this seems to be an occasion when a little airing might prove of wonderful value to the future healthfulness and material advancement of the city.

Probably our citizens have never given the question any serious thought—merely another case of familiarity breeding contempt. If it were liable to breed nothing more we might be content to let the dear old river continue its increasingly sluggish career until in the end, overcome by ennui, it refused to move any more.

Those of us who have known the river for 25 years or more, and in its livelier days have enjoyed the boating facilities it has offered, can well understand how another 25 years will see it a crooked streak of slime.

I would like to know what our health authorities think of such an awful possibility. I would also like to know what those of us who believe in the future of London would consider the effect on the city's growth of the existence of an unkempt, odoriferous stream of filth pouring its lazy way under our bridges and past our stores and homes.

Can a city develop when its very natural beauties only set an example in shiftlessness?

I am not an authority on health conditions, but I know from observation that stagnation in business and in corporate development is the natural result of neglect of a town's physical well-being.

The owners of property abutting on the Thames should take the initiative in clearing and cleaning the banks of the river, thereby adding to the beauty and value of their own property, as well as enlivening the charms of the city. Then let them demand that the river be cleaned and deepened. And let the whole city stand behind them.

OLD RESIDENT.

London, May 18, 1915.

QUITE DIFFERENT.

IN THEIR very brief comments on the resignation of the Roblin Government, Conservative papers are, in most cases, careful to avoid reference to the charges of graft. The excuses these papers give for the resignation is that Sir Rodmond realized at the last election that public sentiment was turning against him and that even with a majority of seven in a House of 49, he felt it the right and proper thing to hand over the reins of power at once. And herein, we are told, is the difference between Roblin and Ross. When the latter saw his majority falling off he should have at once resigned; instead of doing that, he kept up the fight to the end.

But the cases are not parallel. Mr. Ross believed he had given and could continue to give an honest and capable administration. There were no charges of graft against his Government for investigation; for the Gamey case had been before a judicial commission, and his charges shown to be false, so far as they applied to any members of the Government. Mr. Ross realized that his lessened majority was due to causes of dissatisfaction which he might reasonably hope would be removed in time. Under such circumstances, any Government would be justified in taking f-i-g-h-t for its motto. Duty to the party as well as duty to the country would require it. And if Sir Rodmond Roblin had the same reasons for fighting that Mr. Ross had, he would have fought just as strenuously and no one would have blamed him.

Comparisons are odious, but they are unavoidable. One Government went down to defeat, with honor, after giving honest service. The other fled from the wrath to come, conscience stricken.

SO VERY "LITERARY."

FOR use next time President Woodrow Wilson or Secretary of State W. J. Bryan sends a note to the Emperor of Germany, we recommend to our readers the following formula to be observed upon meeting one's next-door neighbor:

"Yes, I have read the note written by the president of the United States to the emperor of Germany, and I want to say right here and now that apart from the sound logic and moral ground of the document, I consider it one of the finest pieces of literature I have ever read.

"Undoubtedly the president of the United States is one of the greatest scholars the world has ever known, and it is as plain as the nose on your face that this note ranks with the best work of Lincoln, Noah Webster, Bryan, Lord Alverstone or Aaron Burr. For pure literary merit, the thing is simply wonderful, and at the same time it is wonderfully simple. No mistaking the meaning. Courteous to a fault and—well, whenever you are in doubt about what real literature is, just read the president's note."

This is not intended as a sneer at the president. Mr. Bryan or the people who class the recent American note as literature. But a great many people seemed to be anxious to praise the note as a piece of writing distinguished for its beauty of style. They regard the president as a professional literatus and believe that he was striving for a great display of his knowledge. Although we confess we do not know whether or not the note was "literary," we prefer to think of the president as a businessman who had a difficult letter to write and who wrote it with remarkable clarity and with the force of iron conviction, while retaining a simplicity of expression and a courteous tone. There are scores of businessmen who turn out such "literature" every day. And the note may be literature in its best meaning, but not in that sense of displaying word magic or making a thing ununderstandable. And it may require more real skill to produce such a note than to produce what is merely styled "literature" for want of something better to call it.

THE TUNE CHANGED.

THE German newspaper "Der Tag" (The Day) shouted in the first month of the war, when the German army was smashing up Belgium: "Herr Gott, sind diese Tage schoen!" (Lord God, these are glorious days). The war needed no apologies in those glorious days, when Germany was heading straight for Paris. The Germans were not whining then, and they could even afford to acknowledge the obvious fact of their wrong to Belgium. They expected to win. The historians would later on condole with the vanquished.

But now the tune is changed. "Der Tag" complains, as translated by the London Times, that Germany has miscalculated many things and had hard luck. It says:

"We expected that British India would rise, that the whole British Empire would be torn to pieces. We expected a triumphant rebellion in South Africa and trouble in Ireland. We reckoned that England was degenerate and incapable of placing any weight in the scale, we thought that France was depraved and divided, and the Russian people too discontented to fight for their Government, and WE MADE OUR PLANS on the supposition of a rapid collapse of Russia."

Note the words, "we made our plans". How often these Germans let the cat out of the bag, like an addle-pated liar in the witness box.

THAT "USELESS" NAVY.

ONE of Dr. Dernburg's most widely-published statements, just before the American public put the lid on his activities, was that the British navy was useless, and that the control of the sea in the war zone had passed to the Germans. The extreme silliness of such a statement has been well illustrated by the publication in a New York paper of the list of vessels that sailed from American ports for ports in the war zone the last week of April and the 1st of May. This list comprised exactly 100 vessels of all kinds, 80 of which were bound for British ports, ten for French ports, and the rest equally divided between German and neutral ports. Of this list 60 have arrived safely at their destination in the British Isles, and the other 30 being slow freighters, have yet to report. Five for French ports have also run the gauntlet of the "paper" blockade in safety, and three of the five bound for German ports have been picked up and held for investigation by the warships of the Allies.

And this argosy, carrying war material, foodstuffs and merchandise to the United Kingdom, was from American ports only. If that German fleet is in control, it is overlooking some choice prizes.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Austria's adversity makes Italy's opportunity.

The Allies will use gas to cook the German goose.

Standing so close to the verge has made Italy dizzy.

Why not send a few tanks of that odoriferous Western Ontario gas to the Allies?

Portugal is now one revolution ahead of Venezuela. This should stir up our old friend, Castro.

Mexico will now have to admit that Portugal can give her pointers in the gentle art of getting rid of Presidents.

The closer the Allies get to Constantinople the Balkans will be the less balky about lining up against the Teutonic alliance.

Indignation over the sinking of the Lusitania appears to have submarined the submarines. Since their foul deed off Kinsale, little has been heard from the pirates.

A bloody anti-German riot recently occurred in the Hotel Sherman, at Chicago. Thus, once more are we brought in touch with Gen. Sherman's celebrated remark.

None of the great powers seem to have given decrepit Spain much thought as an influence, friendly or otherwise, in the world-struggle. Its neighbors treat it with contemptuous indifference. Sometimes a nation is happiest when it is weakest.

Side campaigns of the great conflict are being waged in many parts of Africa, but because of their remoteness and the overshadowing events in Europe, they get little attention. But some day we are going to have thrilling stories of the war in the jungles, of gallant fighting for the Empire under natural handicaps, to which the work in the trenches of France is a life of ease.

MADE A DISCOVERY.

[Detroit Free Press.]

"My son is terribly disappointed."

"What's the trouble?"

"He decided to follow a literary career because he thought it an easy way to fame and fortune."

"Well, what has happened?"

"He has just discovered that those who succeed in the literary field must work hard and give a lot of their time to it."

Ten Minutes With the Short-Story Writers

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CLANCEY'S WIFE.

[BY K. EDWARD HARRISON.]

"Honest John" Dugan laid a heavy hand on a convenient bungstarter and gazed intently at the shabby figure that had slouched through the swinging doors of the Sailor's Rest.

"The free lunch—after the drink," said Mr. Dugan tersely.

The object started, twisted a bullet-shaped head in the direction of the pre-occupied group at a distant table, then slowly shambled to the bar.

"Why, John"—the shifty eyes glinted reproachfully—"you ain't forgettin' your old runner, 'Slip' Logan?"

Dugan peered into the pallid, unshaven visage. A look of incredulous amazement tinged with sudden anxiety flashed over his red-jowled face.

"When did they let you out?" he gasped.

Logan smiled darkly.

"Ain't very glad to see an old pal—eh?" he snarled.

With a nervous glance toward the entrance, Mr. Dugan nodded to a curtained door in rear of the saloon.

"Back there, Slip," he whispered, "like old times."

"That's better," harshly chuckled the strange visitor, leisurely following Dugan's short, rotund bulk from the room.

Honest John carefully locked the door and turned anxiously to the burly form seated beside a small table.

"Well, what do you want?" he asked.

"Want?" echoed Logan grimly. "Why, I want you to help me get square with the bull that sent me up for three years."

"What can I do?" helplessly inquired Dugan.

Logan leaned eagerly across the table.

"Supposin' I, the best of your old runners, was to tell you that a berth on a whaler called the Black Hawk hadn't been filled, and I was willin' to get a man for her—what would you say?"

Dugan brightened, his small, fishy eyes glistened with sudden relief and comprehension.

"They are shy a man now!" he exclaimed avidly. "Eighty dollars a head. You do it, and you'll get——"

Logan interrupted the outburst with an impatient wave of a calloused hand and rose.

"You can keep the coin, John," he said grimly. "You give me the shippin' papers and scout the bulls. If they get busy on a dock raid after nine o'clock phone the watch-house on wharf No. 7. If you don't— You know, a man gets mighty mean when pinched for another's carelessness."

Dugan groped beneath the folds of his soiled apron, drew forth a printed document and pointed a square finger at the forged signature. "His name will be Neils Hansen," he explained. "Don't forget or I'll lose the commission."

With a sinister smile, Logan turned to the side entrance. "Don't you forget—number seven," he growled.

The reverberating notes of a ship's bell were floating over the quiet waters of Campostella Bay as a small skiff propelled by silent, powerful strokes, darted into the shadows of a long timber wharf that stretched like a gigantic arm from the shore into the narrows.

"Nine o'clock," muttered Logan, dropping the oars and deftly securing the painter to a barnacle incrusted ladder. Then, seizing a small bundle from the bottom of the boat, he grasped the slippery rounds and cautiously ascended.

Pausing a moment on the wharf's edge, he listened attentively, cast a hasty glance over the black waters and glided into one of the dark narrow lanes formed between the high piles of lumber. He turned sharply to the right and halted his gaze fixed on the dim outline of a rude watchman's cabin at the end of the long passage.

Ten minutes passed. Logan cursed softly under his breath, then became rigid as the door suddenly opened, and a tall, uniformed figure stood silhouetted against the lighted interior.

"Come on, you swine," grated the runner inaudibly.

The door slammed and the figure approached whistling softly. Logan flattened himself into the deep shadows and quickly drew a slung-shot from beneath his armpit. The whistling abruptly ceased as the heavy footsteps drew nearer. He could almost feel the light touch of the braided sleeve as the broad shouldered figure swept by.

Then, crouching for a moment with muscles taut as whipcords, he sprang like a tiger into the darkness—the hissing blackjack finding its billet with a dull smash. The heavy body had scarcely struck the ground before he was upon it with the strong cords hastily drawn from his pocket.

"Now, damn you—at last!" he panted, stepping back and surveying with obvious satisfaction dock officer number sixteen neatly bound and gagged. He stooped, raised the bulky form to his shoulders and staggering toward the cabin, flung it to the floor.

"What! You remember me, Officer Clancy?" he taunted. "I'll bet you are glad to see old Slip Logan again after three years of crackin' stone you gave him. Now! I'll tell you what kind of three years is coming to you in return." Slip produced a small bottle, held the label close to Clancy's eyes and continued, "I'll put a little of this on a rag which I'll drop over your face. When you wake up—it will be the mate kickin' your worthless carcass out of a fo'c's'le bunk on the whaler Black Hawk, 'way out at sea with no ports for three years."

Brr—rrr—rrring!

Logan whirled, his eyes dilating. With an oath he dropped the bottle on the table and leaped to the telephone.

"Well?"

"Is it Slip?" came Dugan's frightened voice.

"Yes—quick!"

"Beat it! For Gawd's sake—the Harbor bulls. Your boat's the only chance!"

"Clancy," he said brokenly, slashing at the lashings with his knife, "I can't shanghai you now. They said over the phone that your wife was hurt bad—hit by a trolley car, and she's at the Emergency Hospital, callin' for you—they said, 'Come quick.' I may be a crook, but a woman sha'n't suffer for the little grudge I bore you. Let me take you across in me boat."

Clancy, dazed and bewildered, staggered to his feet; attempted to stretch his cramped limbs, and collapsed heavily into the chair.

"My wife—hurt?" he queried in a puzzled tone.

"Yes; hurry. She's dyin'," came the hysterical reply as a police whistle sounded shrilly from the dock.

"Number sixteen," challenged a gruff voice from without.

"Come in."

The door swung back and four blue-clad harbor policemen entered.

"Didn't find a thing but a skiff tonight. Revenues gave us the wrong tip." The red-faced sergeant glanced keenly about the room; then his piercing gaze rested on Slip's white, drawn countenance.

"Who's this?" he demanded.

Slip furtively contemplated. Clancy from the corner of his eye. Apparently the stupor and weakness had passed very suddenly, for the dazed look had dropped from that worthy's face like a mask.

"This is Neils Hansen," explained Clancy, his Irish eyes twinkling. "He belongs to the Black Hawk—has his identification papers and clothes with him. You know, we have orders to turn over such as he to the captain of the ship. His ship sails in an hour. Will you see that he gets aboard?"

"Certainly; we will take him at once," snapped the sergeant.

Slip felt a cold hand close tightly about his heart; the lights of the room spun dizzily. So this was the Irishman's boomerang. In a trance he picked up the bundle he had so carefully packed for Clancy and followed the bluecoats before him toward the dancing lights of the police boat.

The sergeant, from his seat in the stern, called jovially to the lone figure standing on the wharf: "Good-looking wife you got, Clancy, judging from that picture in your shack."

Slip heard Clancy's low chuckle as the launch moved slowly from the dock; then his reply drifted over the water as if from an infinite distance.

"Oh—I found that picture on the dock this morning! I'm single."

THE LUSITANIA'S DEAD.

[J. Corson Miller.]

Over the loved ones billows roll,
The bright sun warms the deep;
No more for them stern stress of soul.
Eternal is their sleep.
Lord, grant them rest, the young, the old,
Who lie on Ocean's bed;
In Thy great arms do Thou enfold
The gallant dead.

Across their eyes the sea-weed blooms,
And finny creatures play;
No more for them glad love-lit rooms,
For ended is their day.
Lord, grant them rest, that silent throng,
So swiftly from us fled,
And bless with Thy soft evensong
The holy dead.

On golden locks or hair grown white
The ghostly moonbeams fall;
The sea-wind kisses them good-night,
While Triton sounds his call.
Lord, grant them rest, yea every one,
Let peace of Thine be spread
Around them now, whose lives are done—
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[St. John Globe.]

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Twenty-First Annual Gathering Opens Sessions With Large Attendance of Members Present.

The twenty-first annual meeting of the London branch Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church opened yesterday afternoon in Askin Street Church with an attendance that almost filled the auditorium, Mrs. Gordon Wright presiding. The program for this session included the calling of the roll, reception of resolutions and memorials, appointment of a courtesy committee, a touching service led by Mrs. Learoyd (Windsor) in memory of thirty-eight members who have passed away since the last annual meeting and also a beautiful and impressive consecration service in charge of Mrs. W. H. Harvey, district organizer. Mrs. Fowler, London, honorary vice-president, led the responsive scripture reading.

Solos by Mrs. E. Wyatt and Miss Grace Cozens were much enjoyed. The afternoon was brought to a fitting close by the sacrament of the Lord's supper, dispensed by Rev. W. H. Harvey, assisted by Revs. McCamus, Hutton, McKellar and Hazen.

At six o'clock, the delegates and their hostesses were graciously entertained by the Askin street ladies at a most bountiful and beautifully served banquet. The basement, used as a dining-room, was gaily decorated with flags, the tables laid for three hundred presenting a very attractive appearance, adorned with quantities of tulips. Instead of following the usual convention custom of introducing the greetings from sister societies at a regular session, the representatives were invited to be present at the banquet and convey their messages in the form of after dinner speeches. Mrs. A. E. Silverwood, representing the London Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society gave a brief outline of the work that has been done by Presbyterian women through the Women's Foreign Missionary Society, the Women's Home Missionary Society and this past year through the combined associations called "The Women's Missionary Society." Practical hints were given in regard to increasing interest in the work of the women's organization among the women of the church and also suggestions for increasing membership.

Mrs. A. T. Edwards conveyed a graceful greeting from the Baptist Women's Mission Circles, concluding with the hope that after the war the Christian world will be united in one great mission circle for the evangelization of the world.

Speaking on behalf of the Huron Diocesan Women's Auxiliary, Mrs. Sage called attention to the W. A. motto "The love of Christ constraineth us" and the fact that the auxiliary of the Anglican Church is organized first for prayer and secondly for giving.

Mrs. Ashplant, president of the London Women's Christian Temperance Union pointed out the close relationship existing between temperance and missionary effort. Her wish was that during the convention the members might have a strong realization of the presence of Christ.

A suitable reply was made by Mrs. Vance, of Merlin, organizer for the Chatham district.

Auxiliary Delegates.

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BY PROF. SPADE.

The backyard gardener has an advantage over the large grower in being able to provide moisture for his crop during a dry spell.

Sprinkling the small garden is now a common practice, but the way it is done in most cases does no good. You must sprinkle right if you are to give your plants the benefit of the moisture you are providing. The sun will rob it from them quick enough if you don't know the proper way to frustrate its rays.

Do your sprinkling in the cool of the evening—besides its other advantages this will be the most convenient time for you anyway.

Don't waste time and energy in watering the leaves or foliage of the plants. The next morning the sun will evaporate this water.

Water your plants at the roots—and be sure you have WATERED them! The emphasis is placed here because a little water is worse than none. It serves only to cake the surface soil about the plants and does not seep in deep enough for the roots to obtain the moisture. Then make the surface a mass of mud puddles. There is a medium that you can easily ascertain.

When doing hand weeding it is a good plan to let the weeds which have just been pulled out, lay in the rows—that is if they are young weeds and have not yet gone to seed.

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On Removing The Stains

The easiest time to remove a stain on clothing is as soon as possible after the mishap has taken place.

If the nature of the stain is known, and a solvent is at hand, removal will be a simple process. If a solvent cannot be found then something which will form a soluble substance must be sought.

If this fails the last possibility is a bleaching agent, but this should be used only as a last resort, as it will remove the color and may weaken the fabric if it is not used with great care.

When cleaning spots run a thread around them so as to be able to find them easily after the garment is wet. Always use some absorbent material under spot so that the loosened dirt will not simply spread. Before using any cleaner try it first on the inside of a seam to see whether it will change the color.

Alcohol, ether, chloroform, carbona, gasoline and naphtha soap and water are all good solvents for grease. Carbona is the commercial name for carbon tetrachloride. It is not inflammable, may be safely used around lights and fire, and works very successfully on the small spots so common on clothing.

Gasoline is the most practical reagent for use when the entire article needs cleaning. It must be used away from the fire to avoid any possibility of serious accidents. Cover the garment well with gasoline in a vessel that can be tightly covered, set vessel in a dish of hot water and let it stand several hours, or over night. Especially soiled places may require a little rubbing. Rinse in clean gasoline and hang in the open air. The soiled gasoline should not be thrown away, as the impurities will settle to the bottom and the clean gasoline may be poured from the top.

The best solvents for paint and varnish are turpentine, alcohol and ammonia.

BETTY BROWN PREDICTS PICTURE SUITS

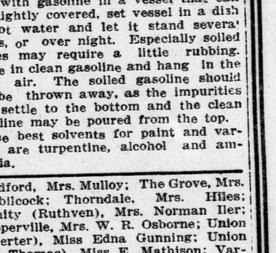


A "picture suit" is one of many delightful surprises Dame Fashion has in store for the Summer Girl. The gown I sketched for this illustration is made up in sand-colored gaberdine, but it would be equally fetching in linen, ratine or any of the heavyweight wash materials.

The coat is pleated below the waist line, and these pleats give the desired fullness above the waist and they emphasize the slenderness of the hips. The three backward turning pleats are held by the belt.

The flare of the coat give a glimpse of the natty little pockets; the button trimming adds to the trimness of the suit.

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Between the border and the oblong portion there is a curious blending of colors in the same darning or weaving stitch, except that the stitches run only one way. The rug is finished at both ends with an ornamental linen braid. The whole effect is of a rug woven with rich colors on a putty-colored ground.

Dotted Swiss is to be worn this spring, and so is embroidered organdie.

Separate coats are receiving a great deal of attention; motor coats continue to be full length or seven-eighths. Some of the newer coats are of uneven length.

A great many of the new hats suggest the headgear of European soldiers.

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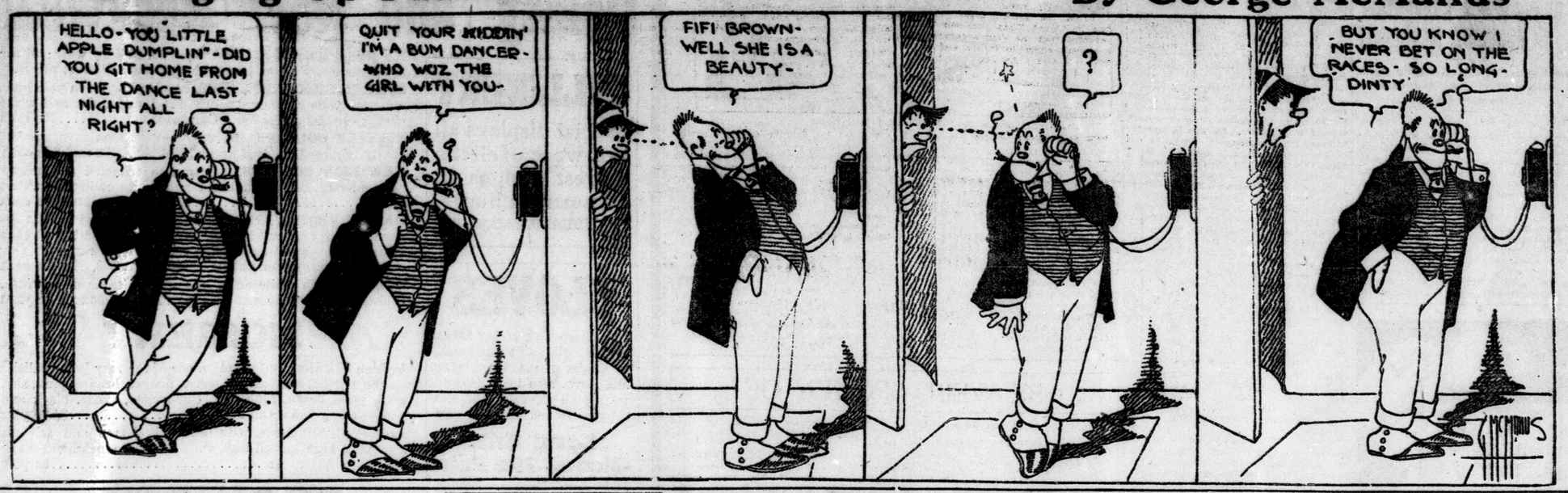
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Bringing Up Father - - - - By George McManus



Cry of "Play Ball" Lifts the Lid Today

Canadian League Season Opens in London, Guelph and St. Thomas This Afternoon — Brantford Here for Tecumseh Park Opening.

[BY BERT PERRY.]

When Umpire Walsh yells "Play ball!" at 3 o'clock this afternon in Tecumseh Park, the local baseball season wall be on in real earnest. Almost simultaneously in St. Thomas and Guelph the Canadian League season will also be declared open. Today marks the opening of the fifth year of the present Canadian Baseball League, and probably the most uncertain season of them all. Reduced to its original size of six clubs, the league this year will be something similarly to the league of 1911, the year of its inception. Six teams composed the circuit then, and the only difference between then and now is that Ottawa is represented instead of Berlin. Guelph is back after a year's absence. The league has to face war conditions this year and has adopted a retrenchment policy. It remains to be seen just how much these conditions will effect the circuit and how long this policy wil be maintained.



Lots of Interest Here.

Locally, prospects appear about as bright as ever. The city has put in a fairly good winter, and there has been just as much interest in the team this spring as in former seasons. The other cities are also showing as much interest, mainly because on paper the teams look better than in the past. Brantford, Guelph and St. Thomas look to have far better teams than ever before, while a big improvement is also apparent at Hamilton. Ottawa wil have its last season's pennant-winner, with few, if any changes. London probably has the newest team in the circuit. Bierbauer, Lineborn, Mullin and Bobby Heck, standbys of last season, have departed. The first three are with other clubs in the league. They have been strengthened by these players. London has filled their places with men who have yet to make good. However, local fans have great confidence in Manager Reisling, and there is no doubt that the team will be up to the standard, set in former seasons.

The opening at Tecumseh Park this afternoon will be attended by the usual ceremonies. A parade will be formed shortly after 1 o'clock. The Brantford and London teams, all decked out in new uniforms, will occupy automobiles in the procession, which will be made up largely of automobiles. The London and Brantford directors will also be present, together with local civic officials and others. The first Hussars Band will lead the procession and provide the music for the occasion.

THE LINE-UPS.

The opening-day line-ups of the teams will be as follows:

At London.

LONDON.	BRANTFORD.
Myers, 2b.	Green, 1.f.
Hess or	Deneau, 1b.
Schaffter, 3b.	Dunlap, s.s.
Whitcraft, s.s.	Mullin, 2b.
Lamy, c.f.	Burrill, r.f.
Reidy, r.f.	Brooks, c.f.
Eckstein, l.f.	Fried, 2b.
Vogt, 1b.	Lacroix, p.
Danford, c.	Worfel, p.
Hammond, p.	

Umpire—Walsh.

At St. Thomas.

ST. THOMAS.	HAMILTON.
Kopp, l.f.	Linneborn, 2b.
Ort, 3b.	Kavanaugh, l.f.
Bierbauer, 1b.	Broadbent, 3b.
Stewart, r.f.	Ivers, 1b.
Todd, 2b.	Harris, r.f.
Inker, c.f.	Woods, c.f.
Forgue, s.s.	McGroarty, s.s.
Nevitt, c.	Pembroke, c.
Hughey, p.	Dolan, or Dougherty, p.

Umpire—Halligan.

At Guelph.

OTTAWA.	GUELPH.
Bullock, 3b.	Hunt, c.f.
Rooney, r.f.	O'Brien, 2b.
Shaughnessy, c.f.	Isaac, 3b.
Dolan, 1b.	J. Murphy, s.s.
Carleton, l.f.	Grieves, 1b.
Smejkal, 2b.	Sullivan, l.f.
Cole, s.s.	Reynolds, r.f.
Lage, c.	Jordan, c.
Peterson, p.	Kirley, p.

Umpire—Bedford.

HOW THE TEAMS STAND

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	16	8	.667
Detroit	18	11	.621
Chicago	18	12	.600
Boston	13	9	.591
Washington	12	14	.462
Cleveland	11	16	.407
St. Louis	10	19	.345
Philadelphia	9	18	.333

Yesterday's Scores.
Chicago 11, Philadelphia 6.
Other games postponed—Rain.
Today's Games.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Washington at St. Louis.
New York at Detroit.
Boston at Cleveland.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	17	9	.654
Chicago	16	11	.593
Boston	14	11	.560
Brooklyn	13	14	.481
Pittsburg	13	15	.464
St. Louis	13	17	.433
Cincinnati	11	15	.423
New York	10	15	.400

Yesterday's Scores.
Chicago 1, New York 0.
Brooklyn 4, Cincinnati 0.
Boston 3, Pittsburg 2.
St. Louis 5, Philadelphia 2.
Today's Games.
Pittsburg at Boston.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.
Chicago at New York.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Pittsburg	19	11	.632
Newark	17	12	.586
Chicago	17	13	.567
Kansas City	15	13	.536
Brooklyn	15	13	.536
St. Louis	12	14	.462
Baltimore	12	18	.400
Buffalo	8	21	.376

Yesterday's Scores.
Newark 8, Pittsburg 0.
Other games postponed—Rain.
Today's Games.
Baltimore at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Kansas City.
Newark at Pittsburg.
Buffalo at St. Louis.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Providence	11	5	.688
Montreal	10	6	.625
Richmond	10	6	.625
Jersey City	7	7	.500
Rochester	7	8	.467
Buffalo	5	6	.455
Newark	4	7	.364
Toronto	3	12	.200

Yesterday's Scrose.
Richmond 2, Toronto 1.
Jersey City 5, Rochester 3.
Other games postponed—Rain.
Today's Games.
Richmond at Toronto.
Newark at Montreal.
Providence at Buffalo.
Jersey City at Rochester.

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The Broklyn Federal League club voluntarily surrendered a player to organized baseball upon discovering that O.B.B. had prior claim to his services. Then McGraw signed Kauff, who was under contract with the Federals. Of such square dealing is the National League famous.

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Brooklyn, Boston and St. Louis Win the Other Games.

NEW YORK, May 18. — Chicago evened its series with New York, winning the second game today by a score of 1 to 0. It was a tight pitchers' battle between Humphries and Tesreau, in which both pitchers received perfect support. It was suffrage day at the Polo Grounds, though showers and a cold, dismal day held down the crowd. The equal suffrage campaign committee received a percentage of the receipts. Each player scoring a run was promised $5, but Schulte was the only player able to take advantage of the offer.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	1	3	0
New York	0	5	0

Batteries—Humphries and Bresnahan; Tesreau and Meyers.

PFEFFER KEPT REDS FROM SCORING A RUN

BROOKLYN, May 18.—Pfeffer pitched shutout ball today, and Brooklyn beat Cincinnati, 4 to 0. The Brooklyns bunched their five hits in the two innings they scored.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	0	8	2
Brooklyn	4	5	1

Batteries — Schneider, Brown and Dooin; Pfeffer and McCarty.

CARDINALS KNOCKED DEMAREE OUT OF BOX

PHILADELPHIA, May 18.—St. Louis defeated Philadelphia here today, 5 to 2, the visitors knocking Demaree out of the box in five innings. Doak held the home team to one hit until the seventh inning, when he yielded two runs on two doubles, a single and a sacrifice fly.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	5	8	0
Philadelphia	2	4	2

Batteries—Doak and Snyder; Demaree, Oeschger, Baumgartner and Killifer, Burns.

CONNOLLY AND GOWDY WERE THERE IN PINCHES

BOSTON, May 18.—Doubles by Connolly and Gowdy in the first and second innings were factors in the three runs which gave Boston a victory over Pittsburg today, 3 to 2.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	2	4	3
Boston	3	7	3

Batteries — Harmon and Schang; James and Gowdy.

Ban Johnson Will Supply Baseballs To Boys in Trenches

CHICAGO, May 18.—Canadian soldiers in France who want to spend the intermissions between battles in playing baseball will be supplied by American leaders in the game with the paraphernalia which they cannot obtain readily abroad, it was learned today. The soldiers complained to their friends and relatives in Canada that baseballs, bats and gloves were scarce in France and official attention was called with the result that President B. B. Johnson, of the American League, and others were appealed to. President Johnson has promised to contribute several boxes of new baseballs.

FABER WINS HIS SIXTH STRAIGHT GAME FOR SOX

Beat Mackmen Yesterday When Chicago Piles Up Big Score Off Bush.

CHICAGO, May 18. — Faber won his sixth straight game today when Chicago defeated Philadelphia 11 to 6. Bush was affected by the cold, and the locals, by bunching hits and taking advantage of his wildness, won easily. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	6	10	3
Chicago	11	12	4

Bush, Davis and Schang, McAvoy; Faber and Schalk.

TWO GAMES OF BASEBALL AT ALVINSTON ON MAY 24

ALVINSTON, May 18.—Alvinston will celebrate May 24 (Victoria Day) with two big games of baseball. One will be held at 10 a.m., and the other at 3 p.m. A fast team from St. Thomas will play these games with the local teams, and a very exciting time is expected. Alvinston has this year one of the best teams it has had for some years, and should make a good showing. In the evening the baseball club will put on a concert in the music hall. The St. Thomas Vaudeville Company will put on some high-class vaudeville acts, including a play entitled "A Morning in a Theatrical Bureau."

Every true sport should turn out and support the boys, in order to show their appreciation of the way in which they are trying to entertain the public on this memorable day.

OTTAWA CLUB LEAVES CHATHAM FOR GUELPH

CHATHAM, May 18.—The Ottawa baseball team left Chatham this afternoon for Guelph, where they will play their opening game of the season. Shag says the line-up for the opening game will be Bullock, third base; Rooney, right fielder; Shag., manager; Dolan, first base; Carleton, left fielder; Smeykel, second base; Cole, shortstop; Lage, catcher, and Peterson, pitcher.

The first tournament of the Chatham Lawn Bowling club has been arranged and the rinks selected. It will be a President vs. Vice-President contest. There are altogether sixteen rinks. The play will be started tomorrow.

SKEETERS SCORED FOUR IN NINTH AND WON OUT

Rochester Looked To Have the Game Safe Until That Inning—Toronto Lost To Richmond.

ROCHESTER, May 18. — Jersey City beat Rochester 5 to 3 today, after the game looked safe for the home team. Going in for their last inning, with the score 2 to 1 against them, the Skeeters, by a fine batting rally, scored four runs, while all Rochester could do was to add one tally in their half.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Jersey City	5	12	3
Rochester	3	7	3

Ring, Sherman and Yelle; Herche and Williams.

LEAFS LOSE AGAIN.

TORONTO, May 18. — Richmond again defeated Toronto today 2 to 1 in the second game of the opening series on the home grounds. Both Sterger and Herbert pitched well. Score.

	R.	H.	E.
Richmond	2	7	1
Toronto	1	5	1

Sterger and Kritchell; Herbert and Kocher.

FAB FULLERTON'S OWN COLUMN

Jess Willard is threatening to fight someone, and the match may be made as soon as the someone agrees to be reasonable and show proper respect for a title.

Interviews with Benny Kauff indicate that Benny would hit about .007¼ if he batted with his head.

The Proper Slogan.

The umpire, may his decisions always be right; but right or wrong, the umpire.

Miss Virginia Fissinger, who does one of those barefoot, etc., dances (the etc. referring to the remainder of the nudity) says all ball players should learn classic dancing. Miss Virginia probably never saw Heinie Zimmerman in the clubhouse.

If Tom Jones keeps on he'll have to stay at the back of the hall during fights. If he was at the ringside half the spectators would be unable to see the ring because his head would be in the way.

It is rather a slam at Fred Merkle for McGraw to put a fellow named Brainerd in his place at first base, is it not?

Possibly, too, the Boston Braves are permitting themselves to be beaten in an effort to convince the fans that all the National League clubs are stronger than the Athletics were last fall.

Our idea of the most efficacious way to "show up" John McGraw is to give him a good opportunity to show himself up.

GOODWOOD RACES WILL NOT BE HELD THIS YEAR

LONDON, May 18. — The Goodwood races, one of the fashionable sporting events of England, have been definitely abandoned this year.

Lord Derby, speaking today at Wigan, said the Jockey Club had informed a representative of the Government he had only to say the word, and racing would be stopped within 24 hours. If it went on, the Government was solely responsible.

KAISERLING'S PITCHING BEAT PITTSBURG FEDS

PITTSBURG, May 18. — Newark shut out the Pittsburg Federals today 8 to 0 through the effective pitching of Kaiserling, backed up by brilliant fielding. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Newark	8	7	1
Pittsburg	0	6	4

Kaiserling and Rariden; Allen, Leclair, Knetzer and Berry.

If this fellow Coffey keeps on it will not be long before he will be the idol of the Irish, provided he brings in the parish records to prove his name isn't Eichensteinski.

"I love boxing," asserts Jess Willard. He ought to take a few lessons and learn something about it.

GRAND TRUNK SOCCER TEAM BEAT NORMALS

STRATFORD, May 18.— The Grand Trunk football eleven beat the heavy Normal School team by 2 to 0 in a fast city league soccer fixture tonight. Burford and Sherwood did the good work for the G. T. R. team. The teams:

Normal School—Goal, Reid; backs, Louch and Weiler; halves, Waldon, Mutton, Northgraves; forwards, Courtenay, Foster, Wagner, Dinniwell and Ermel.

Grand Trunk-Goal, McLennan; backs, Simpson, Jones; halves, Bull, Miller, Barbour; forwards, Davey, Sloan, Sherwood, Burford and Marks.

Referee—W. Reynolds.

RITCHIE GETS A DRAW WITH MATTY BALDWIN

BOSTON, May 18. — A 12-round bout between Willie Ritchie, lightweight champion of America, and Matty Baldwin, of this city, ended in a draw tonight. The champion forced the fighting constantly during the early rounds and Baldwin was at a loss for defence. But after the sixth round the Boston man assumed the aggressive, and blow after blow was landed on Ritchie.

The annual amount of gasoline used in the United States is 438,450,000 gallons, and since we got our car we are wondering who uses those other nine gallons.

HUGHEY WILL PITCH OPENER FOR SAINTS

ST. THOMAS, May 18. — Manager Carl "Dad" Stewart of the Saints announces that Verne Hughey will pitch the opening game for the locals on Wednesday. The contest should prove a good one, as the Hams are a hard nut to crack this season, with ballplayers like Eddie Linneborn, Kelly Harris and Bill Crystall, they should be always in the running.

RITCHIE MITCHELL BROKE HAND BEATING WOLGAST

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 18. — Ritchie Mitchell, of Milwaukee, outboxed and outfought Ad Wolgast in six rounds of a ten-round bout tonight, according to newspapermen at the ringside. Mitchell broke his left hand in the fifth round, but continued throughout the bout, lacing Wolgast at will. The men are lightweights.

A brick fell nine stories and hit an Oak Park, Ill., man on the head and failed to damage him. Baseball scouts, attention.

Jac. Fournier has discovered that it helps his batting to have Eddie Collins hit ahead of him. After the pitcher gets through with Collins the others look easy.

WHAT THEY'RE DOING AT THE WOODBINE

TORONTO, May 18.—This was work day for the majority of the King's Platers at the Woodbine, and some very interesting moves were witnessed. The track was in good shape, but it was rather cold for those that work early, particularly Lady Curzon, the Brookdale stable's reliance. It will be the last time that any of the Guineas candidates will be seen in action over the full Plate route before the big race on Saturday.

Chas. Crew's nomination for the coveted trophy, Pepper Sauce, put in the fastest work of the morning and his best of the season, when he covered the 1¼ miles in 2:10 3-5, ridden out. Pepper Sauce, with Jockey Acton up, and Okemus, with Jockey Claver aboard, broke together, but the former showed the way throughout the trip. The ¼ was in :24 2-5, ½ in :49 4-5, ¾ in 1:15 4-5, mile in 1:42 4-5, and the 1⅛ miles in 1:56 2-5. Okemus was close up for a mile, but tailed off badly in the last quarter. His 1¼ miles was in 2:13 4-5, and he will not do in the big race.

The performance of Pepper Sauce from a time standpoint has been beaten only by Hampton Dame and Fair Montague by a second, and stamps him as a keen contender for the Guineas.

Lady Curzon Went Well.

Accompanied by Moss Fox the first seven furlongs and Beau Cheval the balance of the journey, Lady Curzon worked the Plate route, 1¼ miles, in 2:11 2-5, a fraction of a second only, slower than Pepper Sauce. The fractional time was a quarter in :24, half in :49 4-5, three-quarters in 1:16, mile in 1:42 4-5, and the 1¼ miles in 1:57 1-5. It was a very impressive effort and clearly shows that she has rounded to after her recent illness.

The Seagram Platers failed to show improvement over their recent trial, Charon and Smithfield only covering the 1¼ miles in 2:13 2-5. The fractions were a quarter in :26, half in :56 3-5, three-quarters in 1:19, and the mile in 1:45 2-5. Vastatio and Torn Silk went a shade slower, the quarter in :25 2-5, half in :51, three-quarters, in 1:17 3-5, mile in 1:46, and 1¼ miles in 2:14 3-5.

Bassett Must Improve.

The Giddings candidate, Harry Bassett II., with Hearts of Oak as workmate, went a quarter in :25 2-5, half in :51 2-5, three-quarters in 1:18 3-5, mile in 1:45 3-5, and the 1¼ miles in 2:15.

Hon. J. S. Hendrie's Guineas representatives, Splutter and Last Spark, accompanied by Red Fire for the first mile, covered the full Plate route in 2:15. They went to the quarter in :24 3-5, half in :50 2-5, three-quarters in 1:17 4-5, and the mile in 1:44 4-5. Red Fire's mile was in 1:45.

Bendel in Form.

John Walker's Bendel, a much-improved horse this year, reeled off three-quarters, in 1:15, one of the best moves of the season. Another smart performance was that of Liberty Hall, from the Davies stable, who equalled the feat. Perpetual and Maxiam Belle breezed three-eighths in :37 1-5. The 2-year-olds. Early Peep, three-eighths in :36, and Rock On, quarter in :23 3-5.

Ed. McBride's champion two-year-old, George Smith, went a half in :49 1-5, the first three-eighths in :35 4-5. Tom Elward three-eighths in :38, and Peskey, still unbeaten, three-eighths in :37 3-5. Ortyx three-eighths in :38 4-5.

Wm. Walker's Mona G. and Larkin went a half in :52 3-5; Banjo Jim, mile in 1:47; Dynamite, five-eighths in 1:06; Sherlock Holmes, mile in 1:46 2-5. Bennet's Province-bred Amphion put in a smart mile in 1:44 2-5. He is going well this spring.

Other Works.

Slipper Day, mile in 1:45 2-5.
Privet Petal, mile in 1:51 2-5, galloping.
Sarolta, mile in 1:47.
Froissart, three-quarters in 1:17 2-5.
The Spirit, three-quarters in 1:16 1-5.
Vosges, three-eighths in :38 4-5.
Puritan Lass and Calumny, three-quarters in 1:18.
Dark Rosaleen and Rustling, mile in 1:47 2-5.
Masolus, half in :51.
Reddest, three-quarters in 1:17 3-5.
Lady Spendthrift, three-quarters in 1:18.
Bay's Sister, five-eighths in 1:04.
Old Pop (Crew 2-year-old), half in :52.
Waveney, five-eighths in 1:04 2-5.
Schemer and Salon, three-quarters in 1:16.
Golden Jug, three-eighths in :39.
John Thompson and McBride, half in :50 2-5.
Double Bass, three-quarters in 1:16.
Irish Heart, three-eighths in 1:04 2-5.
Armine (Giddings 2-year-old), half in :51 4-5.
Mandarin and Sweet Callen (Seagram 2-year-olds), three-eighths in :37 2-5.
Havrock, three-quarters in 1:18 3-5.
Meissen, three-quarters in 1:18 1-5.
J. H. Houghton, three-quarters in 1:21 2-5.
Capt. Ben, three-quarters in 1:22.
Gen. Ben Ledi, three-quarters in 1:21.
Sea Lord, three-eighths in :41.
Astrologer, half in :58.

William Krausmann, the owner of Hampton Dame, one of the favorites for the King's Plate, announced last night that he had decided to sell the filly, and that she would run in the name of her new owner in the Guineas next Saturday. Mr. Krausmann purchased the filly from Chas. J. Kean for $250, and last year she won a number of races valued at $1,050. Hampton Dame's sale will clear a situation arising out of the objection to her running in the Plate in Mr. Krausmann's name.

REISLING RELEASES ANOTHER SOUTHPAW



WAYNE DOWELL, the Zanesville southpaw signed up by Manager Reisling last winter and released last night by the London club. Dowell failed to show anything startling in the way of pitching, and he is hardly ripe for the Canadian League. He had a good semi-pro record, but with the class shown by the other left-handers on the club, Manager Reisling could not make room for him.

PROGREDS ARE LEADING STRATHROY TOWN LEAGUE

STRATHROY, May 18.—The standing of the Town League to date is as follows:

Teams—	Won.	Lost.
Progreds	2	0
Clerks	1	0
G Company	0	1
White Oaks	0	2

On the 24th of May two games will be played, Progreds vs. Clerks, and White Oaks vs. G Company. A good deal will depend on these games, as it may entirely change the standing.

The finance committee in charge of the First of July celebration are receiving subscriptions. They report excellent success, and assure plenty of cash for the celebration.

48 WRESTLERS BATTLE FOR $10,000 IN PRIZES

New York, May 19.—Forty-eight wrestlers have entered for the international wrestling tournament, which begins here tonight for $10,000 in prizes. Among them are Alex. Aberg, the world's champion at Graeco-Roman wrestling; George Lurich, Pierre Colosse and Wilhelm Berner.

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CANADIAN CASUALTY LIST

SECOND BATTALION.

MISSING—Pte. W. J. Joynt, Toledo, Ont.

Pte. Andrew H. Parris, Edmonton.

Pte. Arthur E. Peters, Colborne, Ont.

THIRD BATTALION.

MISSING—Lance-Corp. L. P. Smith, Freemont, Sask.

Pte. Jas. C. Rose, 39 Earlsdale avenue, Toronto.

WOUNDED—Sergt. C. R. Day, Delia, Alta.

SEVENTH BATTALION.

WOUNDED—Pte. Ormond Henry Duprau, Gren Falls, Sask.

MISSING—Pte. L. Claire Johnston, 8 Peters Road, P. E. I.

Pte. Harold M. Good, Saskatoon.

Corp. Geo. A. Davidson, Nanaimo, B. C.

Pte. Frank A. Corker, Alert Bay, B. C.

Pte. Sylvester G. Webster, Vancouver.

Pte. Frank Roberts (formerly 12th Battalion), Midway, B. C.

Pte. John E. Martin, Edmonds, B. C.

Pte. Leslie G. Scott, Victoria, B. C.

Pte. Hewson, Kirby, Nelson, B. C.

MISSING—Corp. B. Wright, West St. Andrews.

WOUNDED — Pte. Wm. J. G. Lock, Salmon Arm, B. C.

EIGHTH BATTALION.

KILLED IN ACTION—Pte. B. C. Roberts, 216 Colony street, Winnipeg.

PRISONER OF WAR AT MAINTZ—Lieut. Geo. F. Andrews, Winnipeg, Man.

PRISONER OF WAR AT MAINTZ—Capt. George W. Northwood, Winnipeg.

THIRTEENTH BATTALION.

WOUNDED—Pte. Gus Johnson (formerly 17th Battalion), Stellarton, N. S.

WOUNDED—Pte. F. Noble (formerly 17th), Brampton, Ontario.

FOURTEENTH BATTALION.

SUFFERING FROM GAS POISONING—Pte. Richard W. Bennett, 3016 St. Hubert, Montreal.

WOUNDED—Pte. Wm. H. Ince, 53 Cohanch street, Worcester, Mass.

Pte. Pierre Chevalier, 373 Peel street, Montreal.

WOUNDED—Sergt. Richard W. Rankin, Gary, Ind.

FIFTEENTH BATTALION.

PRISONERS OF WAR AT BISCHOFSWERDE—Lieut. MacDonald, 127 St. George street, Toronto.

Lieut. Frank J. Smith, 487 Huron street, Toronto.

Lieut. Fred. Vernon Jones, Toronto.

Lieut. Charles Vivian Fessenden, Peterboro, Ont.

SIXTEENTH BATTALION.

WOUNDED—Pte. Frank Rapier (formerly 30th Battalion), Toronto.

Pte. Javins Mans, Paris, Ont.

DIED OF WOUNDS — Lieut.-Arthur L. Lindsay, Strathroy, Ont.

PRINCESS PATRICIAS.

WOUNDED—Pte. Wm. H. Pemberton, Philadelphia.

WOUNDED—Pte. Wm. J. Thornley (formerly 28th), Winnipeg.

Pte. W. G. Johnston, Cubross, Manitoba.

Sergt. Herbert Vickery, Prince Albert, Sask.

FIRST FIELD ARTILLERY BRIGADE.

WOUNDED—Gunner T. Hope, 495 Moreau street, Montreal.

AFTERNOON LIST.

First Battalion.

Wounded—Pte. Peter M. Pederson (formerly 9th Battalion), Edmonton, Alta.

Third Battalion.

Wounded—Pte. Arthur Stevenson Anderson, Dundee, Scotland.

Fifth Battalion.

Wounded—Pte. Richard Waller, Norwich, Eng.

Prisoner of War—At Maintz, Lieut. Medical Officer William M. Hart, Manchester, Eng.

Seventh Battalion.

Missing—Pte. Edgar Norton Ford, Vancouver Island, B. C.

Pte. John Malcolm Laird, New Westminster, B. C.

Bugler George Bowler, Coghian, B. C.

Pte. John Nevill Gaines, Vancouver Island, B. C.

Pte. Walter Clive Bentley, Wyatt Bay, B. C.

Pte. Thomas Lyons (formerly 12th Battalion), Taghun, B. C.

Pte. Thomas Allen Clarke, Nanaimo, B. C.

Pte. Harry Halliday Bryant, Alberni, B. C.

Pte. Edmond Langstaff, Emo, Ont.

Pte. Edwin Fraser Eastman, New Westminster, B. C.

Eighth Battalion.

Prisoners of War—At Maintz, Lieut. John Kidd Bell, Glasgow, Scotland.

Lieut. Henry Ernest Lloyd Owen, Pwllheli, North Wales.

Thirteenth Battalion.

Wounded—Pte. Edward Sayers (formerly 15th Battalion), London, Eng.

Fourteenth Battalion.

Wounded—Pte. George Stewart, County Fermanagh, Ireland.

Bugler Thomas Clarkson, Redrock, Eng.

Fifteenth Battalion.

Prisoner of War—At Bischofswerde, Capt. Robert Russell McKessock, Montreal, Que.

Princess Patricias.

Died of Wounds—Pte. George Pryke, London, Eng.

Wounded—Pte. Fred. Bunting, Crumford, Eng.

Pte. D. D. Morgan, Ambleston, South Wales.

Pte. Charles H. Reynolds, Manchester, Eng.

Pte. Charles Thomas, Woolwich, Eng.

Pte. Mark Upton, Warrington, Eng.

Pte. John Cooper, London, Eng.

Pte. John William Greaves, Hyde, Eng.

Pte. Percy McLeod, Plymouth, Eng.

Divisional Engineers.

Slightly Wounded—Sapper J. Turton, Long Eaton, Eng. (formerly 7th Battalion).

Headquarters Divisional Train.

Died of Wounds—Driver David Gunn, Aberdeen, Scotland.

WELL KNOWN MERCHANT DIES IN WINDSOR

WINDSOR, May 18.—Benjamin Paine, former shoe merchant, of this city, and prominent in Masonic circles, died today of dropsy, which developed in an acute form the last few days.

Mr. Paine was 63 years of age and was born in Delaware. He came here about twenty years ago and engaged in the shoe business. He was a past master of Great Western Lodge, A., F. A. M., and a past district deputy Erie district No. 1. At the time of his death he was treasurer of Rose Lodge, No. 500, which will have charge of the funeral on Thursday in Windsor Grove Cemetery.

Only 80 Men and 3 Officers Left of Pats

Crack Regiment Is Sadly Depleted Since War Began.

MONTREAL, May 18. — "We have only three officers and eighty men left of the original 1,070. The Princess Patricias have suffered most awfully since we went to the front," writes Lieut. B. R. Snyder, of the P. P. C. L. I., to Mr. John A. Engel, a lawyer of Montreal.

Lieutenant Snyder enlisted as a private in the Princess Patricias and was promoted to lieutenant while on active service. He was wounded at the time Colonel Farquhar was killed and is now recuperating in London.

GERMANY CALLS OFF SUBS FROM ATTACK ON MERCHANT SHIPS

Undersea Operations Halted Pending Outcome of Negotiations With United States.

[Canadian Press.]

NEW YORK, May 19.—Orders suspending submarine operations against merchant vessels have been issued by the German Government pending the outcome of negotiations regarding the representations made by this Government in President Wilson's note, according to a Washington dispatch to the Times, this morning.

The Times says the information was obtained in "a well informed quarter" after cable press dispatches had said a German submarine fired a torpedo at the liner Transylvania on her trip from New York to Glasgow. It was stated at this source of information that the report about the Transylvania could not be correct "for the reason that submarine activity had been discontinued by the German Government."

TURKS ALLEGE RECAPTURE OF HEIGHT OF GALLIPOLI

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 18, via London, May 18—7:05 p.m.—The following official statement was issued here today:

"On the Dardanelles front, near Avi-burnu, there have been very small artillery and infantry engagements, but no important action. Some small transports have been damaged by our shells.

"Our troops on the right wing have retaken a height 200 metres from our positions.

"A French cruiser yesterday landed near Sarskale, west of Kekri, on the southern shore of the Gulf of Smyrna, sixty soldiers fled when our coast guards replied to their rifle fire. Other cruisers landed about 100 soldiers near Sefat, west of Tenika. On the night of May 15-16 two enemy ships which were cruising near the Smyrna forts retired after being damaged by our batteries."

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

KINCARDINE, May 18. — There was a convention of Sunday schools yesterday in Knox Presbyterian Church with a fair representation from the Baptist, Methodist and Presbyterian Sunday schools. Some stirring addresses were delivered and good reports of the work being done.

Mrs. Robert Simpson, of Waterdown, near Hamilton, is the guest of her cousins, Misses Bella and Maggie Barker.

CONCESSIONS OFFERED BY AUSTRIA IN EFFORT TO KEEP ITALY NEUTRAL

[Canadian Press.]

BERLIN, Via London, May 18.—7:53 p.m.—"You are aware," said Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollwegg, the German Imperial Chancellor, speaking in the Reichstag today, "that the relations between Italy and Austria-Hungary within the last month have been strongly strained.

"From the speech made yesterday by Count Tissa you will have gathered that the Vienna cabinet in a sincere effort to insure enduring peace between the Dual Monarchy and Italy, and to take into account the lasting and vital interests of both empires, had resolved on far-reaching concessions to Italy of a territorial nature.

"I consider it proper to indicate these concessions to you:

"First—Part of the Tyrol inhabited by Italians was to be ceded to Italy.

"Second—The western bank of the Isonzo, insofar as the population was purely Italian, and the town of Gradisca, likewise was to be ceded to Italy.

"Third—Trieste was to be made an imperial free city, receiving an administration which would insure the Italian character of the city and to have an Italian university.

"Fourth—Italian sovereignty over Avlona (a seaport of Albania), and a sphere of interest belonging thereto, to be recognized.

"Fifth—Austria-Hungary declared her political disinterestedness regarding Albania.

"Sixth—The national interests of Italians in Austria to be particularly respected.

Seventh — Austria - Hungary to grant amnesty to political military prisoners belonging to the ceded territory.

"Eighth—The further wishes of Italy regarding the general question to be assured every consideration.

"Ninth—Austria-Hungary after the agreement to give a solemn declaration concerning the concessions.

"Tenth—Mixed committees for the regulation of the details of the concessions to be appointed.

"Eleventh—After the conclusion of the agreement Austro-Hungarian soldiers, natives of the occupied territories, shall not further participate in the war."

GERMANS GAINED NOTHING DECISIVE

But Have Undone Russian Work of Months in the Carpathians.

MUSCOVITES CONFIDENT

No Sign of Weakening in Resolution of Czar's People.

[Canadian Press.]

London, May 19.—"As the result of the latest German tactics," says a dispatch to the Mail from Petrograd, "all that had been accomplished by the Russians in the Carpathians has been undone and months have been added to the duration of the war.

"If the German plans had succeeded completely, if Gen. Linsingen's army had been as fortunate as Gen. Von Mackensen's, if the Austrians in Bukowina had been triumphant, if the Baltic invasion had resulted in the capture of Riga, the blow would have been terrific. Fortunately, as matters now stand, the enemy has not accomplished anything really decisive.

Only Mackensen Succeeded.

"The general idea of the German offensive was to advance upon Lemberg from three different directions. Von Mackensen was to attack from the west, breaking through the Russian front; Linsening was to force Tukhalka Pass and move swiftly up the Stry Valley; Archduke Eugene, in Bukowina, was to turn the Russian left. Apparently Gen. Von Mackensen alone was successful in his attack, Linsening being held back, while the archduke's army was soundly beaten.

"The leading Russian military authority suggests that the Germans intend to follow up their success with an advance on Warsaw, but for this, they will need more troops than they can muster as long as the present activity on the western front continues. This is the only road to allied victory, but let there be no mistake—the end is a very long way off."

UNCOMFORTABLE.

[Canadian Press.]

London, May 19.—The Petrograd correspondent of the Telegraph says it would be absurd to pretend that the situation developed on the Russian front in the last three weeks is anything but uncomfortable, for in almost every direction the Teutonic allies seem to be gaining ground rapidly. He asserts, however, that there is no need for pessimism for the German successes are due entirely to the possession of strategic railways, which enable them to concentrate rapidly in any desired direction.

"These partial occupations of territory," the correspondent says, "count for little in the present war, and they are gained at a tremendous cost in lives which it is more difficult for the Austro-Germans to replace than for the Russians. Hence there is no sign of weakening in the resolution of the Russian people or their confidence in the ultimate issue."

DUKE SAVED THE DAY.

[Canadian Press.]

London, May 19.—At a critical point in the fighting near Jaslo, Galicia, according to a dispatch to the Daily Mail from Petrograd, Grand Duke Nicholas in person rushed to the scene with ammunition, making the last 50 miles at top speed in an automobile. His car was followed by a string of thirteen other automobiles loaded to capacity with ammunition.

The arrival of the commander-in-chief is said to have turned the tide, inspiring the Cossacks to retake Jaslo, which the Germans had occupied. During their brief occupation the Germans are reported to have hanged the mayor for displaying a Russian flag.

During the recent fighting one end of the Empress Alexandra's Red Cross train was splintered by shrapnel.

GALLANT COMMANDER.

[Canadian Press.]

London, May 19.—Gen. Kornilieff, commander of the 48th Russian Division, which cut its way through overwhelming German forces in the Galician retreat, has been captured, according to a Petrograd dispatch to the Reuter Telegram Company. He continued to command rearguard actions, leading the bayonet charges, although severely wounded.

Dispatches from the San River indicate that a tremendous battle is imminent north of Przemysl. The main strength of the Austro-German forces is concentrated between Jaroslow and Lezaysko.

TOBACCO GROWERS ASK GOVERNMENT INQUIRY

TORONTO, May 18.—A deputation of Essex, Kent and Elgin tobacco growers today interviewed Hon. James Duff, minister of agriculture and asked that a departmental official investigate the grievance of the co-operative society, which claims that there is a combine of buyers to keep prices down.

It is expected that the request will be complied with and that if the data gathered warrants action the Federal Government will be requested to appoint a royal commission to investigate the complaints.

FARM HAND KILLED BY RUNAWAY HORSES

STRATHROY, May 18.—His head crushed in by a wheel of a manure spreader drawn by three runaway horses, Edward Weedmark, aged nineteen years, was instantly killed at noon today on a farm near here.

The young man was working for W. P. Morgan, 4th line, Adelaide, and was returning with the rig to the barn about noon, when the horses became frightened and ran away. In their wild career the animals collided with a tree, overturning the spreader and throwing the driver to the ground. A rear wheel passed over his head.

Canada's Trade Shows a Gain of $10,000,000

Exports of Manufactures Increase $9,000,000 in One Month.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

OTTAWA, May 18. — Canadian trade for the month of April reached a total of $65,000,000, an increase of $10,000,000 over the corresponding month last year, according to the monthly statement issued by Hon. J. D. Reid, minister of customs.

The exports of manufactured articles totalled $13,000,000 as against $4,000,000 for April 1914, while the total merchandise exported was $28,691,000 compared with $17,751,000 for April 1914. Imports fell off considerably, the amount of free and dutiable goods being $28,391,000 compared with $36,937,000 for last April, duty collected was $5,936,000 as against $6,458,000 for 1914.

Exports of animals and their produce was a feature, the value being $3,312,000 as against $1,860,000 for 1914. Taken as a whole the result of the first month of the new fiscal year is satisfactory from the viewpoint of Canadian trade.

LIEUT. A. LINDSAY VICTIM OF WOUNDS

Western Ontario Casualty List Carries Single Death.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Lieut. Arthur Lodge Lindsay, 16th Battalion. (Previously reported wounded).

WOUNDED.

HARRISTON.

Pte. Cleare. (In Boulogne hospital).

Pte. Frank Bingham. (Netley hospital, England).

ST. THOMAS.

Corp. Chas. Gillingham, 1st Battalion.

PARIS.

Pte. J. Mans, 16th Battalion.

STRATFORD.

Pte. David Duncan, 13th Battalion (formerly lived in Stratford).

Lance-Corp. Chas. D. Norris.

OWEN SOUND.

Pte. Arthur Hill, 7th Battalion.

PRESTON.

Pte. Janes Metcalfe.

BERLIN.

Bugler Ralph Massett.

LONDON.

Gunner Herbert Martin, 70 Albion street.

Pte. John Cooper, 26 Rathgar street.

TAKEN PRISONER.

MITCHELL.

Pte. H. M. Robinson.

That Lieut. Arthur Lodge Lindsay, of Strathroy, has died of his wounds, was conveyed in the official casualty list last night. Lieut. Lindsay was wounded before the big Langemarck and Ypres slaughter.

The names of about a dozen Western Ontario men appear in the list of those wounded. Several names given above have not yet come in the adjutant-general's list for publication, the notification coming to relatives either by letter from the men themselves or friends, or in private dispatches from official quarters.

Mrs. McLean Smith, of St. Thomas, has received personal assurance from her husband that he has not been killed, and, in fact, came through Langemarck uninjured. She had been informed in a letter from a comrade to a neighbor in St. Thomas that her husband had fallen.

ST. THOMAS CORPORAL HAS BEEN WOUNDED.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

ST. THOMAS, May 18.—Mrs. Kitchenham, of Meda street, St. Thomas, has been advised by the war office, that her nephew, Corp. Chas. Gillingham, of the 1st Battalion, has been wounded and is at present confined at Leeds. When the war broke out Corp. Gillingham was storekeeper at the local plant of the Monarch Knitting Company, and resided with his aunt.

AGED MOTHER MOURNS LOSS OF HER SON.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

RIDGETOWN, May 18.—The flag on the municipal hall was flying at half-mast yesterday in response to a telegram received by Mrs. Stewart, from Ottawa, that her son, Norman, had been killed in action in France.

Mr. Stewart enlisted with the Royal Highlanders of Montreal, and was with the first contingent. Norman was popular with his friends while living in Ridgetown, and much sympathy is felt for his aged mother and his brother and sister, who mourn his loss.

HEARS FROM HUSBAND; HE IS NOT KILLED.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

ST. THOMAS, May 18. — Mrs. McLean Smith, Queen street, is in receipt of a letter from her husband, Pte. Smith, of the 1st Battalion, on active service, whom she believed had been killed in battle at Langemarck, April 22. According to the letter the soldier was in the midst of the great fight, but was not injured.

The report of Pte. McLean Smith's death came in a letter written by Pte. Courtenay to his mother. The letter read:

"Mac Smith has been killed. I was with him when he died."

Pte. Courtenay presumably was so excited following the big fighting that he mistook another man for his companion.

PRIVATE ROBINSON A GERMAN PRISONER.

MITCHELL, May 18.—H. M. Robinson has received a letter from his son, Private H. M. Robinson, who was reported in the daily papers as missing. He is a prisoner of war in Munster, Germany.

Word was also received today from Sergt. T. H. Olver, who was wounded in France on the 12th of March, and has been in a hospital at Netley, England, ever since. He was shot through one of his lungs, but he has almost recovered and expects to go into action again about the last of May. A number of photographs of Private Olver, were also received through the mail by a number of friends.

STRATFORD CORPORAL WOUNDED IN ARM.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

STRATFORD, May 18.—Still another former Stratford man has fallen in the defence of the empire. Today's casualty list, in the 13th Battalion, contains the name of Pte. David Duncan, Scotland, who was formerly employed in the G. T. R. shops here for some time. Pte. Duncan left here some years ago.

In a letter from the British Red Cross Hospital at Hampshire, Eng., Lance-Corp. Chas. S. Norris tells of his having been wounded in the arm.

WYOMING SOLDIERS LAUGH AT WOUNDS.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

WYOMING, May 18.—The fears of Mr. and Mrs. John Nickol and family regarding the reported injuries of their eldest son, Glenn, while serving his country abroad were relieved by a letter from the boy himself last night. Although wounded in both legs and in an hospital in England, "Nick," as he is familiarly called, claims to be feeling pretty well and desirous of another interview with the "Germs".

Corporal Stirling Tobias, the Petrolea boy, wounded on the battlefield in France, and who has many friends here, writes that although in the hospital in Wales with an injured arm, he is now doing nicely. He also suffered some from the deadly gas fumes, but adds: "Being used to gas through his residence in Petrolea, he stood a better chance of recovery from it than many others."

TWO HARRISTON BOYS WRITE OF WOUNDS.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

HARRISTON, May 18.—The comforting news reached Mr. and Mrs. Philip Kett last night that their sons George and Irwin, who took part in the Langemarck engagement and were missing, had turned up all right and were once more on the firing line.

Pte. Cleave has also been heard from. He has been wounded and wrote from the hospital at Boulonge, where he had been for ten days, but expected soon to be discharged.

Mr. John B. Bingham, of the Royal Hotel, has received a letter from his son Frank saying that he had been wounded at Ypres and was in Netley Hospital, England. He speaks highly of the care and attention he receives and hopes soon to be able to rejoin his comrades at the front.

Thirty Answer Call.

Nelson Howes, bookkeeper and cashier in the office of his father, John Howes, sawmiller, left this morning to join the 34th Battalion at Guelph. He was accompanied by his cousin, Pte. Joseph E. Howes, who has received a transfer from the 29th to the 34th Battalion. Since the war began 30 Harriston young men have answered their country's call. Casualties so far are two killed and five wounded.

ONE OF "PATS" IN THE LIST.

Pte. John Cooper, enlisted with the Princess Pats, was reported in yesterday afternoon's list to have been among the wounded. He was a laborer, and previous to entering service boarded at 26 Rathgar street.

A private message has been received here that Gunner Herbert Martin has been wounded. While living here Martin resided at 70 Albion street, West London. He enlisted with the 6th (London) Field Battery.

For Sallow, Wrinkled, Freckled, Pimpled Skin

If you have any cutaneous blemish, don't use paint, powder or anything else to cover it up. Too often this only emphasizes the defect. Besides, it's much easier to remove the disfigurement with ordinary mercolized wax. Applied nightly, the wax will gradually remove freckles, pimples, blackheads, moth-patches, sallowness, red or yellow blotches, or any surface eruptions. The affected cuticle is absorbed, a little each day, until the clear, soft, youthful and beautiful skin beneath is brought wholly to view. Ask the druggist for an ounce of mercolized wax and use this like you use cold cream. Remove in morning with soap and water. Many who have tried this simple and harmless treatment report astonishing results.

If bothered with wrinkles or crow's feet, a wash lotion made by dissolving an ounce of powdered saxolite in a half pint witch hazel will prove remarkably effectual.

INJECTION BROU Gives prompt relief without inconvenience, CATARRH of The BLADDER All druggists.

THIRTY-SEVEN SHIPS SUNK BY THE RUSSIANS

LONDON, May 18. — The Russian Black Sea Fleet, according to news received by the Russian naval attache, has destroyed in the Turkish coal mining district one steamship and 36 sailing vessels. At Koslu, a pier elevator and railroad have been destroyed.

ALL MUST HAVE PHOTOS.

LONDON, May 18—8:48 p.m. — The British Government has decided that the photograph of every person mentioned in a passport must appear on the document. Under the American regulations, when a man is traveling with a family passport it is made out in his name, with an addenda stating that he is accompanied by "wife and son" or other members of his family. Hereafter, however, under the new British order, a photograph of each member of a family traveling in this country must be attached to the passport.

TWO FREE OF FEVER.

LONDON, May 18—8:25 p.m.—It is announced that the typhus fever which broke out recently in ten of the prisoner camps in Germany, where British prisoners are interned has been stamped out in two of them, Altdamm and Zerbht.

BERLIN'S NEW LAWS

[Canadian Press.]

Berlin, May 19, via London, 11:40 a.m. —New regulations for the control of foreigners in Berlin and the Province of Brandenburg were today issued by the military commander.

These regulations become effective June 1. They set forth that all foreigners, except Austrians and Hungarians and Turks, must appear personally before the police and submit their passports within 24 hours of their arrival in the city or the province. Foreigners desiring to leave this territory must make personal appearance before the authorities. Foreigners already in the district named on the 1st of June must appear before the police prior to June 10.

ADMITS SUBMARINE WARFARE INHUMANE

[Canadian Press.]

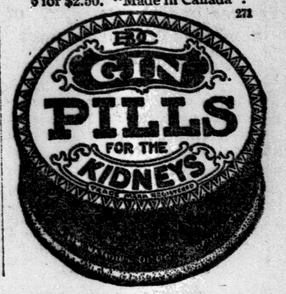
Berlin (via London), May 19.—The Vossiche Zeitung says:

"If America succeeds in bringing it about that British merchant vessels shall no longer sail under false flags, that Britain shall cease arming merchant vessels and that contraband cargoes shall no longer be protected by American passengers, then the United States will find Germany on her side in an endeavor to lead submarine war into more humane channels.

"If American fails to influence Great Britain thus, the United States will have to put up with submarine war as at present waged. She must take care that her citizens go as little into the naval war zone as they would into the firing line near Arras, Lilie or Przemysl."

YOUR BACK

is a Barometer. When it hurts, it means that the Kidneys need help. Take Gin Pills—Canada's own remedy for all Kidney and Bladder Troubles. 50c. a box, 3 for $2.50. "Made in Canada". 271



Good Advice On Hair Culture

How to Stop Falling Hair and Drive Away Dandruff.

Once a day, if only for one minute, every woman, and every man, too, for that matter, ought to rub the scalp vigorously with the tips of the fingers.

The blood supplies nourishment to the hair, just as it does to the skin, and frequent massaging gently stimulates the scalp and causes the blood to flow more freely.

Both men and women should be careful in the choice of a hair-dressing. A good one used regularly, not only destroys dandruff germs, but keeps the hair from falling, and causes it to grow profusely and lustrous.

Parisian Sage is the hair-dressing, grower and beautifier most in demand by discriminating people. So certain is its tonic action on the scalp and hair, and so sure is it to give the limit of satisfaction, that the manufacturers guarantee Parisian Sage to abolish dandruff, to stop falling hair and itching scalp, or refund your money.

Parisian Sage is free from grease and stickiness, and once used will never be displaced by any of the ordinary commercial hair tonics.

A large bottle costs but 50 cents at your druggist's.

"I have used Parisian Sage for some time, and think it has no equal as a hair beautifier and scalp cleaner."—Mrs. William Hoglund, Sault Ste. Marie.

For aches, pains, rheumatism, etc., try Parisian Mustard Cerate. Its effect is wonderful. Use in place of mustard plasters, poultices or hot applications. 25c a tube.

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More Striking Cures by Dr. Cassell's Tablets. A British Medicine of World-wide Popularity.

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Was Wasting Away For Want of Nourishment.

Just Seemed Like Skin and Bone.

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That Dr. Cassell's Tablets are as suitable for the youngest child as for adults will be evident to all Canadian mothers when they read the following true testimony.

"I am so delighted with Dr. Cassell's Tablets that I don't know how to praise them enough. I am quite sure they saved the life of my little baby." So says Mrs. Emma Martin, a happy young mother, residing at 26 Edward street, Hessle, Hull, England. And she goes on: "Baby was only a few weeks old, poor little girl, when she fell ill, and nothing that we could do for her was of the slightest use. For months she was under treatment, and had ever so many bottles of medicine, but she only got worse. Nothing would remain on her stomach, she was just wasting away for want of nourishment. We had all sorts of infants' foods for her, but it was always the same; poor little Marjory could do nothing with them. Whatever we gave returned almost at once."

"We were told it was very severe dyspepsia, and that there was nothing to do but persevere. We did persevere. I am sure I did everything I could, but all the time my child was getting thinner and thinner till she seemed just skin and bone. She looked like a little shrivelled-up old woman. At last we lost hope altogether, and quite made up our minds that baby could never recover. Everybody who saw her thought the same. She was positively dying of starvation, poor little mite, for no food at all agreed with her.



"That was the position when my sister sent me one of Dr. Cassell's books, and in it was the story of a baby cure when cure seemed hopeless. I got Dr. Cassell's Tablets at once, and after a dose or two my child could retain food. Oh! how glad I was! From that time it was just wonderful how she improved. She grew bigger and bonnier every day, till now, at thirteen months old, she is just a little picture of health, as well as any baby could possibly be. I know it is all due to Dr. Cassell's Tablets, and I shall never cease to praise that health-giving preparation."

What wonder that mothers are so enthusiastic in their praise of Dr. Cassell's Tablets? To watch a little wasted infant rapidly growing into a big, fat, jolly baby by help of this wonderful remedy—surely that is enough to gladden any mother's heart.

STOMACH TROUBLE

So bad they thought it was hopeless.

"I am sure I can never sufficiently praise Dr. Cassell's Tablets; they were the means of saving my baby's life." So says Mrs. Bate, of 8 Queen street, Quarry Bank, Brierley Hill, England, and her praise will be echoed by every Canadian mother who has ever used Dr. Cassell's Tablets.



Mrs. Bate continued: "Baby had not been strong from birth, and when he began cutting his teeth he got ever so weak and ill. First, there was a breaking out on his little body, and then he just seemed to waste away before our eyes. We were told it was severe bowel trouble; but though everything possible was done to save him, poor baby appeared to be beyond hope of recovery. He was always in pain, with severe diarrhoea, and he got so thin that you could have almost blown him away, as the saying is. Whatever kind of food we gave him returned. He was very restless, and hardly got any sleep. We were constantly in fear that baby would die when we were not watching. We had sat up with him all one night, when next day, by a lucky chance, we read about Dr. Cassell's Tablets, and at once sent for some. Very soon there was improvement, the sickness stopped and the diarrhoea, and from that time baby got better and better, till now he is as well as any child could be."

Largest Sale in Britain. Popularity Now World-wide

Surely the honest truth, as set out in the above authentic testimony, is sufficient to prove that Dr. Cassell's Tablets will do all that is claimed for them and effect cures even in severe cases. Guaranteed perfectly safe for even the youngest babe, Dr. Cassell's Tablets are a reliable remedy for Nervous Breakdown, Nerve Failure, Infantile Weakness, Neurasthenia, Sleeplessness, Anaemia, Kidney Trouble, Dyspepsia, Stomach Disorder, Wasting, Palpitation; and they are specially valuable for nursing mothers and girls approaching womanhood. All druggists and storekeepers throughout the Dominion sell Dr. Cassell's Tablets at 50 cents. People in outlying districts should keep Dr. Cassell's Tablets by them in case of emergency. A Free Sample will be sent on receipt of 5 cents for mailing and packing, by the Sole Agents for Canada, H. F. Ritchie & Co., Ltd., 10 McCaul street, Toronto, Ont.

Tired Nerves



Since the days of Eve housework has been the drudgery of woman's life. It keeps her indoors, where the air is vitiated, and when the system gets run down the monotony of housework breaks down the nerves.

If you could only get away from it all and rest. But there are meals to get, the house to keep clean, the children to look after, and an endless routine to dishearten and discourage.

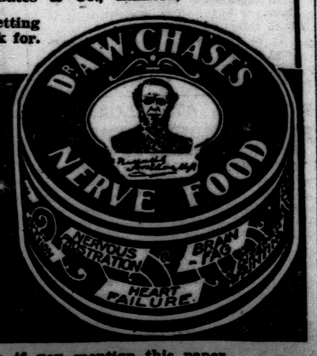
Why not give Dr. Chase's Nerve Food a chance to help you? It is the greatest of nerve restoratives. You hear everywhere about the great good it is accomplishing for people who are tired out, run down, nervous, irritable and sleepless. Just try half a dozen boxes, and there will be an end to headaches, bodily pains and depressed spirits.

At this season of the year, as at no other time, you need just such assistance as this great Food Cure will bring you. It is a true tonic, and its upbuilding influence is both thorough and lasting.

50 cents a box, 6 for $2.50, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

Insist on getting what you ask for.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food



Dr. Chase's Recipe Book, 1,000 selected recipes, sent free if you mention this paper.

Magazine Page For Advertiser Readers

CLUBS ARE TRUMP AND CONTESTANTS KNOW THIS NOW

Remarkable Advances Made by Some Girls Astonish Their Friends.

PILES ROUNDING UP

Procrastination On Part of Some Has Put Them Lower Than Should Be.

Clubs are trump, and they will continue to be trump for the Panama-Pacific trip contestants until 10 o'clock Thursday evening, May 20. It is clubs that will take all the tricks; in other words, that will capture the big vote bonuses. It may be a club will represent the winning card for some fair contestant, who to date has lagged behind in her district. Even the smallest denomination club perchance will possess the virtue to place her in the lead.

Has she been fortunate in securing the payment of ten country subscriptions between May 12 and 20? Rounded up into one nice little pile, these will count her not only 40,000 votes, but the additional bonus of 10,000.

What about a six months' city club? Isn't the value much enhanced by the addition of interest to the extent of 12,500 votes, making a total of 62,500?

A year club spells riches, 120,000 votes, plus 25,000—a nice round sum of 145,000.

A two-year club of ten is something to dream about. Imagine 300,000 votes all in a heap and piled right on top, 50,000 more.

Dream Made Fact.

"I didn't dream it would be possible for me to make such a record in the whole contest," says one fair candidate who is doing her best in the hours before the close of the clubbing offer to round up ALL the prospects in view and, perchance, arrange one or more clubs.

Candidates are again reminded that in order to reap the advantage of the clubbing offer, they positively must have their clubs turned in by Thursday evening, and that they must also have their special bonus coupons made out before the office clock strikes ten.

Shouldn't Procratinate.

Procrastination in this matter for them may prove the thief of many good votes. Supposing half a dozen crowd in with their "clubs" at 9:30 p.m., will it give the attendants an opportunity to straighten out the business and issue coupons before 10 o'clock.

Naturally, the candidate who is first in place in the line will be first served. Can the others take exception if the witching hour of ten arrives and finds them "foolish virgins," with no bonus coupons in their pocketbooks or in the ballot box.

Be Fair to Yourself.

Only very exceptional cases will demand the holding over of clubs until Thursday evening. The contestant is unjust to herself and unjust to the contest staff who waits until the last minute to turn in her business.

While the club coupons with bonus added may be held over until the last of the Panama-Pacific contest, Tuesday next, May 25, the wise candidate will see that she holds a good position in the record of standing to be published Saturday afternoon, May 22.

Just after the contest opened, one of the girls who has displayed clever generalship in managing her campaign informed an acquaintance, a well-known businessman, that she would be glad of his assistance in the way of a subscription and voting ballots.

"You can't have it," he replied promptly, if not too politely. "I don't think you have a ghost of a chance of winning, and I may as well discourage you before you set your heart too much on the trip. My advice is, drop it."

Turned the Tables.

A couple of weeks later he remarked to her in a casual way: "So you didn't take my advice. How many are ahead of you now?"

"Read the report in yesterday's paper," she laughingly replied.

It was another week when she saw him again, and was obliged to share his seat in the car. He was reading the front page of The Advertiser, from which stared out at him the standing in the contest. But he made no comment until she was leaving. "You aren't doing so badly after all," he admitted grudgingly.

"Thanks to you," she jested.

Surprise to Him.

On Monday he told a friend who told the candidate, "That little girl has surprised me. I like her pluck. Did everything I could to discourage her, but now I've almost made up my mind to help her out with a subscription."

Another report day and she was still holding her own in the race. That decided him.

He doubled the term of the subscription. More than this, he declared he was going after other business.

Make a good standing on Saturday. Your friends won't want to see you defeated within touching distance of the goal. You know how onlookers cheer the racer who reveals good qualities of ability, endurance and perseverance.

See that your prospects are good on Saturday, and the chances are excellent that you will do a land agent business for the remainder of the contest.

SHE'LL CHRISTEN NEW BATTLESHIP ARIZONA



Advertiser Illustrations.

Happiest girl in Arizona, Miss Esther Ross, of Prescott, Ariz., asked by Governor Hunt to christen new battleship named after her state.

1ST DAY DONATIONS TO JAM SHOWER

London ladies are responding splendidly to the jam shower now in progress at the Ford building on Lyle street. Yesterday the following donations were received: Mrs. A. M. Armstrong, two pint bottles of jelly; Mrs. J. A. Brown, one quart jam and three pint bottles of jelly; Mrs. P. Ball, one quart jar of marmalade; Mrs. H. Blackburn, one gallon of maple syrup; Mrs. T. Bryan, one quart jar of jam; Mrs. A. H. Beddome, two pint pots of jam; Mrs. Bayly, three quart bottles of jam; Mrs. C. D. Bartlett, two quart bottles of marmalade; Mrs. Braddley, two quarts of jam; Mrs. L. Black, one quart bottle of fruit; Miss Biggar, one quart maple syrup; Mrs. J. Burgess, three quarts of fruit; Mrs. Boyd, one jar of jam; Mr. J. D. Burk, two pint jars of jam; Miss Bowen, one quart and one pint of jam; Mrs. Brake's friends, sixteen jars of jam and jelly; Mrs. R. A. Bayly, two quart jars of fruit; Mrs. J. C. Clark, four quart bottles fruit, one pint jam and two pints of jelly; Mrs. Cameron and Mrs. Christie, four-pound box of chocolates; Mrs. A. G. Chisholm, two quarts fruit and two pints of marmalade; Mrs. Wilkey Collins, two quart jars of fruit; Mrs. Durst, two quarts of jam and two glasses of jelly; Mrs. R. Davis, three pints of jelly; Mrs. Dandie, four pint bottles of jam; Mrs. J. C. Duffield, five quart bottles of jam; Mrs. J. M. Dillon, seven-pound tin of maple syrup and four pint jars of fruit; Mrs. W. T. Edge, five-pound pail honey, two pint bottles of jam; Mrs. E. Elliott, four quart jars of jam; Mrs. H. Ellis, one pot marmalade and one pot of jelly; Mrs. C. E. H. Fisher, one pint jar of jam; a friend, two quart and three pint bottles of fruit; a friend, two quarts of maple syrup; a friend, one quart jar of jam; a friend, two quarts of jam and three bottles of marmalade; Mrs. Ferte, six pint bottles of jam; Miss Farncombe, two jars of jam; Mrs. Colin French, six bottles of maple syrup; Mrs. Guy, one pint jar of marmalade and one pint maple syrup; Miss Glass, six pint bottles of marmalade; Miss Gibbons, four quart jars of jam and five gallons of maple syrup; Mrs. Ginge, five-pound tin of marmalade; Mrs. Hilliam, two cakes maple sugar, tin each of honey and maple syrup; Miss A. A. Harris, one gallon of maple syrup; Mrs. Jeffery Hale, case of maple sugar and six pints of jam; Mrs. John Hance, two quart bottles of fruit; Mrs. Hatch, two pots of jelly; Mrs. Jeeves, one quart bottle of jam; Mrs. J. Judd, one quart of fruit; Mrs. J. C. Judd, six quarts of jam and jelly; Mrs. Jerdon, one quart bottle jam and eight pints of jam; Mrs. King, six pint jars of jam and one bottle maple syrup; Mrs. Kent, two quarts of jam and one quart of jelly; Mrs. Karn, two quarts of maple syrup and five pints of jam; Mrs. S. J. Lewis, one bottle of marmalade; Mrs. J. R. Minhinnick, four quarts of jam and two pints of jelly; Mrs. Mathewson, four jars of marmalade and two jars of jelly; Mrs. J. E. Magee, one bottle marmalade and one jar of jelly; Mrs. T. Mortimore, two pint jars of marmalade and two pint jars of jam; Mrs. Macklin, one jar of marmalade; Mrs. E. Masuret, four pots of jelly and two bottles of marmalade; Mrs. Morphy, one pint of jam; Mrs. Moorhouse, two tins of honey; Mrs. John Mayer, ten pint bottles of jam; Mrs. J. T. Martin, two quart bottles of jam and one quart of fruit; Mrs. F. McCormick, four quarts marmalade and three pints of jam; Mrs. T. McCormick, two pints maple syrup and five pints of jam; Mrs. McKillop, four quarts of fruit; Mrs. A. L. McDonald, maple sugar and five jars of maple syrup; Mrs. D. Macdonald, one jar of jam and one quart bottle of jelly; Mrs. Niven, three quart jars of jam; Mrs. Nimmo, one quart of jam and one pint of jelly; no name, one quart jar of jam; no name, one bottle of fruit; no name, three quart bottles of fruit, one pint maple syrup and one quart of jam; no name, one quart fruit and four small jars of fruit; Mrs. Osmond, three quart bottles of fruit, one pint jam and one pint jelly; Mrs. R. W. Puddicombe, six pint bottles of jam; Mrs. John Puddicombe, one bottle maple syrup, three bottles of fruit and one of jelly; Mrs. A. C. Patterson, three quarts of fruit and three pint bottles of jelly; Mrs. W. J. Reid, six glasses of jam; Mrs. Robinson, five jars of jam, one quart maple syrup and one jar of pickles; Mrs. W. B. Richardson, six bottles of jam; Mrs. F. Raymond, three pint jars marmalade and three jars of jam; Mrs. T. H. Smallman, six quart jars of honey and five-pound tin of marmalade; Mrs. J. E. Smallman, five-pound tin of marmalade; Col. Smith, 500 cigarettes and four gallons of maple syrup; Col. Shannon, maple sugar; Mrs. Sigsworth, four pint jars of jam; Mrs. A. Sadler, six quarts of fruit; Mrs. E. Scatcherd, four quarts of fruit; Mrs. T. W. Scandrett, three pint bottles of jam and seven bottles of marmalade; Mrs. E. B. Smith, one dozen bottles of jam; Mrs. Seaborn, four pints of jam; Mrs. A. Smith, twelve cakes of maple sugar; Mrs. Sage, two quarts and one pint of jam and four glasses of jelly; Mrs. Tyler, two quarts of marmalade; Mrs. Tucker, four bottles of jam; Mrs. Tytler, two quarts and one pint bottle of jam; Mrs. S. A. Webb, eight pint jars of jam, fruit, cake and shortbread; Mrs. S. A. Webb, eight pint jars of jam, fruit, cake and shortbread; Women's Christian Association, six quarts of fruit; Mrs. R. Wallace, eight quart jars of fruit; Mrs. Waller, four quart bottles of jam; Mrs. S. Wilson, one jar of marmalade; Miss Wheatley, one quart of jam and one pint of marmalade; Mrs. Wakeling, one quart and two pint bottles of jelly; Mrs. Yarker, one dozen pint jars of jam; Mrs. W. A. Young, one gallon of maple syrup. Cash donations, Mrs. C. S. Hyman, $5; Miss Rhoda Hobbs, $5; Mrs. F. A. Stuart, $5; Miss Westcott, $2; Mr. W. W. Kaiser, $2; Miss Isabell Armstrong, $1; total, $20.

WILLIAM P. FRYE CASE IN PRIZE COURT

German Admiralty Believed to Have Taken Action Before Note.

[Canadian Press.]

Washington, May 19.—Germany has sent to a prize court the case of the American sailing ship William P. Frye, sunk in the South Atlantic last January by the German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich, but it is understood that the German admiralty took the action before it had received the American note insisting that the damages be adjusted directly through diplomatic negotiation in Washington.

It is said by officials here that the reference of the case to a prize court will not necessarily prevent diplomatic adjustment. The German Government, it is said, probably finds it necessary, under its legal methods, to develop certain facts through a prize court, even while negotiations may be in progress. As Germany has admitted in principle liability of the sinking of the Frye, the state department here was not greatly concerned at this latest development.

ROCKEFELLER AS WITNESS.

[Canadian Press.]

Washington, May 19.—John D. Rockefeller Jun., was a witness before the federal industrial relations committee, today in connection with its inquiry into the Colorado coal strike. He was on hand yesterday ready to take the stand, but the commission did not reach him. Mr. Rockefeller's examination related to correspondence submitted to the commission since his appearance before it in New York.

"A Sailor's Life Is the Life For Me!"



Advertiser Illustrations.

Jackies from U. S. Battleships Assemble d in Hudson River for Review by the President, Wooing Miss New York.

LITTLE REBEL RUNS AWAY

Runs Home Again At Sight of Prison Bars.



MAY UNGER

Advertiser Illustrations.

May Unger hated to work in silk mills at Allentown, Pa.

Her eyes ached, her back ached, and especially her heart ached when the May breezes wafted the fragrance of lilacs into the dusty weaving room.

The out-of-doors called to her. She borrowed boy's clothes, clipped her hair and "ran away to the country."

At Warren, O., she was picked up in a box car—very dirty, but carefree and happy. It was only after a night in jail that she agreed to give up her quest of adventure, put on girl's clothes and bend her back again over the machine in the silk mill.

GERMAN SHELL SILENT BUT EXTREMELY DEADLY

Wounded Leutenant Tells of Langemarck Battle—Was Hit Twice.

[Canadian Press.]

Montreal, May 19.—The Germans used a shell which approached noiselessly on the Canadians at Langemarck. Lieut. J. A. Danzereau, 48th Highlanders, writing about this missile, one of which burst near him and wounded him, says it comes up silently and then explodes with great deadliness. It is filled with a high explosive.

Lieut. Danzereau is in Guy's Hospital, London, and there received a visit from the King and Queen.

Fierce Pleasure.

Describing what he saw of the battle of Langemarck, the lieutenant writes that he was with Col. Currie and Maj. Marshall at the general headquarters of the regiment when the line was reformed at right angles, and he and Major Marshall had a mitrailleuse with them, and this weapon and the rifles of the company played great havoc with the Germans as they tried to advance. In the hot and furious work they found a fierce pleasure in the sight of the Germans tumbling down. Ultimately something went wrong with the mitrailleuse, and the Germans advanced rapidly.

Thought He Was Dying.

When Lieut. Danzereau was struck by a ball from the silent shell, the enemy were only 400 yards from the trenches and the 13th Battalion, to the right, and the 7th Battalion to the left, had retreated. When he recovered his senses, he was blinded and covered with blood, and thinking he was dying, he said farewell to Major Marshall. The latter detailed two men to remove him from the trenches. One of the men bandaged his head, and he was wounded again as he left. After a day and a half without food, he was given something to eat.

ATTACKS CHECKED

Allies Repulse German Onslaughts—Bad Weather Continues.

[Canadian Press.]

Paris, May 19—2:30 p.m.—The French war office this afternoon gave out a report on the progress of hostilities reading as follows:

"The bad weather continues. There has been no development on the front during the night, with the exception of some artillery exchanges at various points. Also to the east of the Yser two attempted attacks on the part of the enemy were checked by our fire."

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

[Canadian Press.]

Edmonton, Alta., May 19. — Mrs. Myer and her two sons, Henry and Conrad Myer, were committed for trial on a charge of murdering the woman's husband by hanging him in the barn of their homestead.

Spring Bedecks Springbank Park With Glorious Green and Gold

Taking advantage of the glorious sunshine on Saturday, large crowds thronged the Riverside Park, which just now is looking at its best.

It is not altogether a bad thing that the people as a whole should realize that long distance travel is not indispensable to the enjoyment of spare hours.

Within easy reach of London there are beauty spots that will compare favorably with any to be found in Ontario, and the more their charms are known, the better, we feel sure, will they be appreciated.

The splendid condition in which Springbank Park is now maintained is a matter of much satisfaction to citizens who have visited the resort since the commencement of the season. The new rosebud drive, extending from the east entrance to the park on the Pipe Line road, is now one of the most beautiful in the country, and either at night or in the day presents a very pleasing appearance.

The effect at night could scarcely be improved upon, a couple of miles of ornamental lamps (against which are growing the lovely Ampelopsis veitchii), with underground conduit wiring, illuminating the drive from the main entrance to the Byron Sanatorium, which road has been widened to a minimum of 26 feet, and gravelled from the park's own pits.

Over twenty new flower beds have been made and filled with herbaceous plants. The old mosquito-breeding pool on the north side of the drive, opposite the Little residence, has been converted into a lily-pond, and now presents a most pleasing appearance, with its banks dotted with ferns and iris, and surrounded with the Rosa rugosa and rustic cedarwood.

Springbank Park has always been in high favor with citizens generally, but in its improved condition will no doubt be frequented by very large crowds during the summer season. The influences of the war cannot be readily shaken off, and the general desire seems to be rather for a change of air and scene than for boisterous gaiety. After a visit to the park of parks, one thing is certain, and that is that the workers will be all the better for their brief spell of relaxation.

Let the street railway be awake to its opportunities, and put on a five minute service afternoons and Saturdays.

EVIDENCE ALL IN

Barnes-Roosevelt Case To Be In Jury's Hands Thursday.

[Canadian Press.]

Syracuse, N. Y., May 19. — The presentation of evidence in William Barnes' suit for libel against Theodore Roosevelt was completed yesterday, and today was to be given over to counsel in which to sum up their respective cases. Justice Andrews will deliver his charge to the jury tomorrow morning, according to the present plans. In that event the case will be in the hands of the jury before noon tomorrow.

Sturdy Westerners For Third Contingent



Advertiser Illustrations.

Troops 1 and 2, "C" Squadron, 9th C.M.R., Swift Current, Sask. These men will go to the front with the third contingent.

ORDINANCE FOR JITNEYS STRICT IN REGULATIONS

Measure Introduced in Syracuse, N. Y., Council Covers Wide Range.

OPERATING PROVISIONS

Question Live One in London at Present, Since Jitneys Have Invaded City.

The standing of the jitney bus in London at the present time is a moot question. Jitney owners state they are being unfairly treated, while civic officials claim the men who run the buses must comply with bylaws or suffer the consequences. Neither parties seem to know just what is the law in regard to jitneys, so the following story from the Syracuse Post-Standard may be of interest locally:

Strict regulations for the licensing and operation of jitneys are provided in an ordinance drawn and introduced yesterday by Alderman George R. Fearon in the common council. The ordinance was referred to the committee of the whole, and a hearing set for next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the common council chamber.

In many provisions it follows the ordinances of Buffalo and Atlantic City. In its main features it requires a license and fee at the rate of about $12.50. A seat, a fixed schedule of routes and rates of fare, operation during sixteen hours a day, a surety bond of $10,000 for one and $5,000 for each additional vehicle, and imposes restrictions on operation.

By the proposed ordinance it is made unlawful for any persons, association of persons or corporation as principal, agent, or employee, without first obtaining a license, to operate in the city any motor vehicle whatever for the carriage of persons, for hire at a rate of fare of 15 cents or less for each passenger. The definition of "motor vehicle" in the ordinance includes such as receive and discharge passengers along the route, but exempts taxis, hotel busses and the like.

Must File Statement.

Before receiving a license, the applicant must file with the city clerk a map of its designated route with a verified statement of the operating schedule or headway, number of vehicles, tariff of fares, terminals and routes, and cause the same to be published three times a week for two weeks in two daily papers. The council may approve or modify and approve routes. Acceptance of a license is deemed an agreement, and on failure of the applicant to comply, it may be revoked. On approval of the council, the mayor is to issue the license if he is satisfied as to the moral character, if a natural person, and solvent and responsible, if a corporation or natural person.

The fees are: For each vehicle carrying not to exceed five persons, $75; if more than five and not more than eight, $100; if more than eight and not more than ten, $125, and if more than ten, $12.50 additional for each person the vehicle accommodates.

The surety bond requires that the license, ordinances and laws shall be obeyed; that the licensee shall furnish service and indemnify the city and persons against injury or damage to the amount of any judgment recovered. No license shall be issued to a person under 18 years old.

Council May Determine Routes.

The council is given power to determine routes to be followed by persons operating automobiles for hire in the city, and may provide for a transfer system.

The ordinance makes it unlawful:

To fail to operate for a period of not less than sixteen hours a day, according to the schedule in the application except upon the surrender of the license or on account of "the acts of God, strikes or causes beyond control."

To operate a licensed vehicle from the route stated in the license; to reconstruct or add to the seating capacity without consent of the council; to drive a vehicle with a trailer; to operate for a period from a half-hour after to a half-hour before sunset without the inside being effectively illuminated; to take up or discharge passengers except at street crossings and on the right hand side or points designated by the commissioner of public safety.

To permit persons other than employees to ride on the fender or running board, except that policemen and firemen while in uniform may ride free on any vehicle or any part thereof; to fail to operate over the entire route; for any person operating such automobile to drink intoxicating liquors while engaged in transporting passengers for hire or to smoke while persons are occupying seats.

Violation a Misdemeanor.

A violation of the ordinance is made a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of not to exceed $100 or imprisonment for not more than 30 days, or both. The ordinance is to take effect immediately.

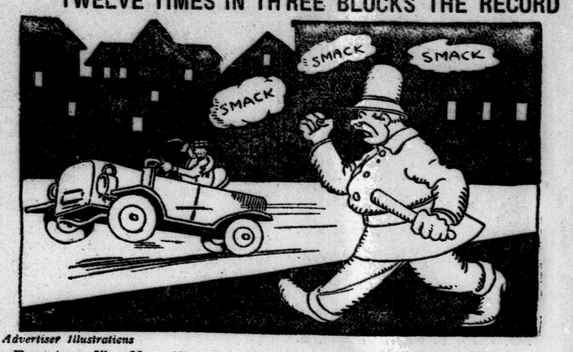
It is probable that several hearings will be given to all persons interested in the subject before final action is taken.

HOSPITAL AT VALCARTIER FOR WOUNDED CANADIANS

OTTAWA, May 18.—The militia department is arranging to establish a clearing hospital at Valcartier for wounded Canadians. On arrival at Valcartier the men will be examined by a medical staff, and those whose condition is such that they cannot travel will be kept there, the others being sent home or to hospitals established at points throughout the Dominion.

Permanently wounded soldiers will be pensioned at once. Those less seriously wounded will receive active service pay until recovered, when they will be given their discharge from the service.

SMACKED SPEED LIMIT A LL TO PIECES; TWELVE TIMES IN THREE BLOCKS THE RECORD



Advertiser Illustrations

Evanston, Ill., May 19.—"He was speedin'," charged the cop—"twelve times in three blocks, yer honor."

"Whatchamean, twelve times in three blocks?" demanded the judge. "Did you read his speedometer?" "Naw," said the cop. "I read his osculameter, he kissed the girl twelve times in three blocks, and that's strainin' the speed limit some in Evanston."

"Five and costs," announced the judge. "Kissing bug's a dangerous bug at any time, but a kissing bug in an automobile is too dangerous to run at large. Next time it will be jail."

ANOTHER HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT WITHIN THE CITY

Working Out of Junior High School System Takes Another Step.

BOARD MEETING TODAY

Steps Will Be Taken to Close Up Deal for Purchase of Requisite Land.

Working out of a junior high school system for London will take another forward step this afternoon, it is expected, when the board of education meets in special session to pass the statutary resolutions for the creation of a third high school district in London. Steps will be taken to close up the deal for the purchase of the requisite land for this third high school. The site is on Quebec street, across from the old Quebec street public school, which was closed at Easter when the new Boyle Memorial School was opened.

Originally it had been intended to use the old public school as the nucleus for a high school site and with this end in view the board of education appealed to the council for a special issue of $20,000 high school debentures, the idea being to purchase the public school site for $10,000, the remaining $10,000 being used in the purchase of adjoining property. Since this was decided on, however, the board has secured options on property across the road which is regarded as being more advantageous for school purposes and which will save the city some $5,000. This bonded site has a frontage of 200 feet and a depth of practically 350 feet.

Adopting Them More.

Junior high schools are being adopted more and more each year all over the continent as a solution of the higher education problem. The idea is to have one central high school, where the middle and upper school work can be taken up while in the outlying districts the first and second year, or lower school work, can be given.

It is a matter of record that the high school attendance falls off each year of the course. That is to say, that while there are ten forms in the first year, there are less in the second, still less in the third and only one in the fourth. This shows that the majority of high school students are either first or second year pupils.

By locating junior high schools, where this lower school work can be carried out, in the more suburban districts of the city the great pressure on the central high school is relieved and the vast majority of high school students secure the advantages of collegiate work without having to go such a distance to the central part of the city.

Third High School.

This is what it is proposed to do with the Quebec street collegiate or high school. It will be known as the third high school district by virtue of the fact that the second high school district was set aside last year when the board of education purchased a collegiate site to the immediate west of the new Tecumseh school, which will be opened in September to replace the old Grand avenue school in South London.

While the second school has been initiated by the purchase of the required site, it is proposed to leave it in abeyance until such times as the third one is in operation. This, it is expected, will be after September 1 of the present year, for it is expected that several collegiate forms will be opened in the old Quebec street public school, and maintained until such time as the new school across the street is ready for occupancy. No attempt, it is believed, will be made to start the third high school until next year, which will mean that it will be September 1, 1916, at the earliest, before it is opened. As soon as this is done, the old Quebec street school will be sold and it is expected that the city will be ahead of the game by purchasing property across the street.

New School in Centre.

If the old public school property had been used for collegiate purposes, it would have been necessary to purchase land on three streets to secure sufficient area for a high school. As it is now, with the plan under consideration this afternoon, the new school will be located in the centre of the block with what is considered an adequate frontage and with a greater depth than could be secured in the other manner.

When the 1914 board of education took office it was faced with a resolution to spend some $115,000 on the present collegiate institute building. To rescind such a motion would have required a two-thirds vote of the board, but after going into the situation from every angle, it was decided to rescind the motion and this was carried out unanimously.

This action was followed by the adoption of the new policy of junior high schools that now seems to be fast becoming an accomplished fact. The old collegiate was repaired to a sufficient extent to serve for all time as a central high school and it was decided to conserve the remainder of the $115,000 appropriation for the junior high schools for South and East London.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Montreal—Manchester Spinner, Manchester; Romney, Liverpool; Corsican, Glasgow.

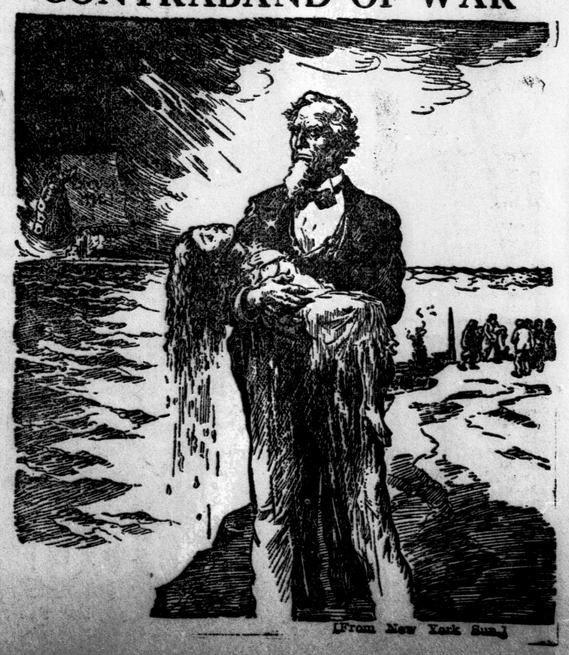
COMMANDS A WESTERN TROOP



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CAPT. G. L. CAMERON, a prominent Swift Current businessman, who is in command of the Swift Current quota of the 9th Canadian Mounted Rifles, third contingent.

CONTRABAND OF WAR



[From New York Sun.]

AMBASSADORS SAID TO HAVE DEMANDED THEIR PASSPORTS

German and Austrian Representatives Leaving Rome — Consulate Staffs Reported to Have Departed Tuesday Night.

[Canadian Press.]

LONDON, May 19.—2:59 a.m.—A dispatch to the Central News from Rome dated Tuesday says:

"The Giornale d'Italia announces that Prince Von Buelow, the German Ambassador, and Baron Von Macchio, the Austro-Hungarian special Ambassador, have demanded their passports.

"The newspaper adds that the staffs of the German and Austro-Hungarian consulates will leave Rome Tuesday evening."

OFFICIAL DOCUMENTS SENT AWAY.

ROME, Via Paris, May 18.—1:10 p.m.—Several cases and trunks belonging to Prince Von Buelow, the German Ambassador, and Baron Von Macchio, the special Austrian Ambassador, which are believed to have contained the documents of the two embassies, already have been sent out of the country. That of Prince Von Buelow passed through the customs house at Chiasso and that of Baron Von Macchio passed through the customs authorities at Pontebba on the Austrian frontier. Neither was examined, being entitled to diplomatic immunity from search.

The German and Austrian Consul-Generals and their staffs have received instructions to be ready to leave Rome today or tomorrow.

The Messagero says today that it is of the opinion that Prince Von Buelow and Baron Von Macchio are only awaiting definite instructions from their respective Governments to ask explanations of the Italian Government concerning Italy's purposes and that this request will be answered by handing them their passports.

GREAT PATIENCE SHOWN BY ITALY.

ROME, May 19.—A "Green Book," which the Government is preparing will contain diplomatic documents tending to show the attitude of Italy from the beginning of the war and the strenuous efforts made by the Italian Government to reconcile the obligations of the Triple Alliance with the Italian national aspirations and the principles of nationality, on which is based the existence of Italy and the hopes of future greatness.

The documents show that the Italian cabinet exercised extraordinary patience in its desire to avoid complications and that finally, when the Austrian point of view proved to be irreconcilable it became necessary to sever relations with the central empires so far as the alliance was concerned.

The German deputy, Mathias Erzberger, leader of the Clerical Centre in the Reichstag, who has been in Rome for a time on a special mission to the Holy See, sought permission to remain in the Vatican, but the Pope and his advisers refused to accede to this request to avoid serious embarrassment in the event of decisive action by Italy.

It is thought that the Vatican will not oppose the departure of the Austrian ambassador and German and Bavarian ministers accredited to the Holy See whose presence here would be impossible should Italian participation in the war ensue.

Should entry into the war be decided upon, the Government would suspend the validity of article XI. of the law of guarantees, which extends to diplomats accredited to the Vatican the same prerogatives and immunities granted those accredited to the Quirinal.

Another important question which is likely to arise relates to the Austrian and German ecclesiastics, of whom a great number reside in Rome. Some, like Abbot Von Stotzingen, of the Benedictine Fathers, have already left the validity of article eleven of the law churchmen, including Father Ledochewski, general of the Jesuits ("The Black Pope") are still here.

CERTAIN TO WIN, SAYS ADMIRAL.

ROME, May 18.—Via Paris, May 19.—3:05 a.m.—Admiral Bettolo, former minister of marine, when asked tonight concerning his impression as to the political situation, said:

"My impression is that we shall undoubtedly fight, and that we are absolutely certain to win."

ITALIANS IN AUSTRIA REVOLT.

ROME, via London, May 19.—2:06 a.m.—The Idea Nazionale reports a revolt at the Austrian arsenal at Pola, on the Adriatic Sea. It is asserted that ten thousand Italians employed there came into conflict with the troops and that fifty persons were killed and a hundred wounded.

DEATH OF MRS. WADSWORTH.

FOREST, May 18.—Esther McClelland, relict of J. G. Wadsworth, died yesterday in Warwick, in her 53rd year. The funeral will take place from the residence of her brother, Samuel McLelland, second line, Warwick, to Beechwood cemetery, Forest.

DOCTOR SAID SHE HAD BRIGHT'S DISEASE

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS CURED HER.

Bright's disease is a term applied to one of the most serious of all diseases of the kidneys, the symptoms of which are often of a severe character.

Severe pains in the back appear at first and are followed by disturbances of the urinary organs, which show that the urine contains a large amount of albumen. Dropsy is also another forerunner of the dreaded Bright's disease. On the first sign of any kidney trouble you should at once put the kidneys right by the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. The pill that cures kidney troubles only.

Mrs. C. A. Heistand, Mooswa, Alta., writes: "Last May I was taken down sick. The doctor told me I had Bright's disease. My kidneys got so bad I could not rest day or night. The doctor's medicine did not give me any relief. I used four boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, and they put me in good shape again."

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ENEMY SHELLING PRZEMYSL FORTS

Germans Try to Retake Austrian Fortress Lost to Russians.

SUFFERING GREAT LOSS

Foes Repulsed Along the Left Bank of the Vistula.

PETROGRAD, May 18, via London, May 19—2:27 a.m.—The following official statement was issued by the war office tonight:

"In the Shavli region (Courland) we continue to press the enemy closely. In the region between the Niemen and the Verjbolovo Railway our troops assumed the offensive and are engaging the enemy.

"In the sector between Opatow, on the left bank of the Vistula, and the whole Galician front up to the environs of Kolomea, on May 16, great masses of the enemy attacked our positions, centering their efforts in the region to the north and south of Przemysl.

"On the left bank of the Vistula we notably repulsed furious attacks, but assumed the offensive and captured 3,000 prisoners and numerous guns and machine guns.

Try To Consolidate On San.

"Near Jaroslau, despite our withering artillery fire, which is inflicting immense losses the Germans are still endeavoring to consolidate their position on the right bank of the San River. Here during the course of the day we brought down many hostile aeroplanes, which were correcting the fire of the enemy batteries. Under Przemysl the artillery fire has been intense, the enemy bombarding the western forts.

"Between Przemysl and the great marshes of the Dniester, masses of the enemy which attacked us reached in many places our wire entanglements, but were scattered by our fire. Nevertheless, at the cost of enormous sacrifices, the enemy succeeded in capturing the trenches of two of our battalions.

"The attacks of the enemy in the region of Drohobycz, Stry, Bolikow, Bolina, Delatyn and Kolomea were delivered with extreme energy, but were everywhere barren of results.

"The losses of the enemy in general are estimated by tens of thousands."

RUSSIANS ARE IN STRONG POSITION.

PETROGRAD, May 18, noon, via London—5 p.m.—Efforts of the Germans to force a crossing of the River San, in central Galicia, are being concentrated north of Przemysl, where a battle for the fortifications along the river slopes is now developing. According to latest reports, the Germans have been unable as yet to reach within striking distance of Jaroslau, and the other fortresses which constitute one of the strongest Russian defensive lines. The Austrian official report of May 25 said the Germans had occupied Jaroslau.

Further south along the San, in the neighborhood of Lisko and Sanok, German activity also is reported, but the operations there evidently are less important, being more in the nature of cavalry reconnaissances.

Retirement of the Russian forces from positions in the Carpathians resulted in a compact and effective massing of their troops from the San to Bukowina. Russian successes in the latter region, giving them entire control of the Rivers Pruth and Dniester, are regarded here as offsetting the success of the Austro-German forces in West Galicia. The railroad line between Kotomea and Delatyn, which has been of great importance to the Austrians, for maintaining communication with their base in Bukowina, is reported today to be in Russian hands. It had been defended stubbornly by the Austrians.

The evacuation by the Russians of their positions in the Carpathians became inevitable as the Germans proceeded with their powerful drive from Cracow upon the Russian right. This threatened the cutting off of the Carpathian army of the Russians, whose rear communications were only narrow footpaths. Russian critics now go so far as to hint that the Carpathian campaign was an unwise undertaking since it led to a great extension of the front which was not easily defendable.

BUGLER COMES TO LONDON.

WOODSTOCK, May 18.—Fred Evans, a Woodstock youth of wide popularity, left today for London, where he will join the third contingent as a bugler. His associates in the Harvey Knitting Company gave him a wrist watch as a token of their regard.

CANADIANS SHOW FINEST QUALITIES

Kitchener Says They Passed Through Ordeal to Try Best.

OPTIMISTIC UTTERANCE

War Secretary Speaks in Cheering Tone of the Campaign.

[Canadian Press.]

LONDON, May 18. — Earl Kitchener gave a general review of the situation in the war zones before the House of Lords adjourned for the Whitsuntide holidays. Speaking of the British offensive, he said the action of Neuve Chapelle "was fought with great gallantry, which enabled us to occupy positions of considerable military importance previously held by the enemy".

Speaking of the German attack on the allied front near Ypres, Earl Kitchener said:

"In this attack the enemy employed vast quantities of poisonous gases, and our soldiers and our French allies were utterly unprepared for this diabolical method of attack, which undoubtedly had been long and carefully prepared."

Earl Kitchener at this point announced the determination of the allies to resort to similar methods of warfare.

"The Germans," said Lord Kitchener, "have persisted in the use of these asphyxiating gases whenever wind favored or other opportunity occurred and His Majesty's Government no less than the French Government feel that our troops must be adequately protected by the employment of similar methods so as to remove the enormous and unjustifiable disadvantage which must exist for them if we take no steps to meet on his own ground the enemy who is responsible for the introduction of this pernicious practice."

Tribute to Canadians.

The secretary spoke of the gallantry of the Canadian division, which defended its positions tenaciously, notwithstanding the poisonous fumes.

"This was an ordeal to try the qualities of the finest army in the world," he said, "and all the more credit is due the soldiers of Canada who, unprepared for such an attack and exposed to a withering fire, reluctantly and with perfect steadiness withdrew their left flank to conform to the newer alignment of the allies' position."

Referring to the offensive movements now in progress in La Bassee and the Arras region Earl Kitchener said:

"We have all followed with admiration the forward movements of our brave allies in an offensive operation which has been marked with complete success and which are still proceeding with every promise and indication of being wholly satisfactory. The attacks delivered by our forces, at first, were not attended with the same immediate success owing to the elaborate arrangements made by the Germans to defend their lines after their experience at Neuve Chapelle, but on the night of May 15, by a renewed effort, the British forces drove back the enemy on a front of approximately two miles for a considerable distance and captured from 400 to 500 prisoners. This action also is proceeding and we hope that in conformity with the French operations it will achieve important results.

Enormous Ammunition Expenditure.

"These offensive operations," the secretary for war continued, "against the trenches of the enemy, have demanded enormous expenditures in ammunition, both of our usual type and also of the highest explosive pattern which we are now making."

Referring to the delay in production of ammunition, Earl Kitchener remarked:

"I am confident that in the near future we shall be in a satisfactory position in regard to the supply of these shells.

"In these recent offensive operations our losses and those of the French have been heavy but the task our armies have accomplished has necessitated great sacrifices and the spirit and morale of our troops has never been higher than at the present moment."

The war secretary had this to say concerning the position of the Russians:

Russian Line Strong.

"The Russians now hold a strong line from the eastern Carpathians to Przemysl, which forms a pivot of their lines and thence along the San to the Vistula. In Bukowina the Russians have made a counter offensive and driven the Austrians back from the Dniester to the Pruth. The German losses in killed and wounded in these operations have been enormous and many thousand unwounded prisoners have fallen into the hands of the Russians."

Turning to the Dardanelles Earl Kitchener said that the progress of the allies was necessarily slow, since the country was most difficult.

"But the Turks are gradually being forced to retire from positions of great strength," he continued, "and though the enemy is being constantly reinforced the news from this front is thoroughly satisfactory."

Botha's Great Work.

Earl Kitchener then referred to the South African campaign and the occupation by Union of South Africa forces of Windhoek, capital of German South Africa.

"The military ability displayed by General Botha has been of a very high order," the secretary said in this connection, "and has confirmed the admiration felt for him as a commander and a leader of men."

Indian soldiers were utterly routing the Turks in Mesopotamia, the secretary asserted and were gradually clearing the whole country of hostile forces.

After referring in eulogistic terms to the men in the new army, Earl Kitchener concluded:

Calls for 300,000 Men.

"I said I would let the country know when more men were wanted for the war. The time has come, and I now call for three hundred thousand men to form new armies.

"Those who are engaged in the production of war materials of any kind should not leave their work. It is to men who are now performing this duty that I appeal and I am convinced the manhood of England still available will loyally respond.

"In the first time in your lordships' house I pointed out that this war would be a long one and would demand great sacrifices. These sacrifices have been cheerfully made by the people of this country who not only responded in vast numbers to the summons to create the new armies required, but have since continuously supplied a constant stream of recruits which has enabled us to maintain the forces in the field and in training at their full strength and with effective men. Your lordships have watched the growth of the new armies and have noted doubtless the difficulties which confronted us in providing them with all the material of war they require.

"I cannot speak too highly of the men and the devotion to duty they have displayed, or of their cheerful acceptance of hardships incidental to inclement weather, which have provoked the admiration of expert officers who reported to me as to the wonderfully rapid progress made in their training to become efficient soldiers.

"I am certain that in the activities in the field, which immediately await them, these men will worthily sustain the reputation they already have attained at home."

BRITISH PRAISE OF TURKISH FIGHTING

Enemies Masters in Art of Digging Themselves Under Ground.

REMAIN QUITE INVISIBLE

Stupendous Bombardment of May 8 Vividly Described By an Eyewitness.

[Canadian Press.]

London, May 19.—A tribute to the fighting ability of the Turks in the three-days' battle of Achi-Baba, from May 6 to 8, is paid by the British press representative with the allied forces in the Dardanelles.

"The Turkish soldiers," he says, "fought bravely and with determination. The handling of their artillery was masterly. The Turks dug endless trenches, which were located only with extreme difficulty, while their machine guns were concealed with the skill which is such a prominent feature of German warfare. Nothing could be more remarkable than the manner in which the Turks succeeded in concealing themselves. They are experts in digging themselves in, and never disclosing their position by any movement above ground. Their trenches are beautifully made, eight feet deep and extremely narrow, thus resisting effectively the most intense fire from the warships."

Gained Ground.

In summarizing the results of the three days' fighting by combined land and naval forces, the correspondent says:

"Everywhere the Allies had gained some ground, but the main object of their attack was not achieved."

Describing the scene of the battle, he writes:

"It was a battle of the old-fashioned type, where the commanders could direct the movements of their troops by telephone on the basis of what they could watch going on under their eyes. The objective was to gain possession of the height of Achi-Baba. This mountain has a peculiar and forbidding aspect. It closely resembles an old Chinese idol, with a great, round, stupid-looking head, two stout, thick-set shoulders and two long arms stretching out on either side to the sea. From the hill above the beach a perfect view is obtainable of the entire battlefield.

Turks Invisible.

"All the trenches occupied by the allied troops in the firing line, the long lines of supports and the closer formations of reserves, were visible. Spectators could watch our every movement on the chessboard of war, but what of the enemy? Not a Turk or a Turkish gun or Turkish trench was visible. Only the allied forces, the British on the left, the French on the right, the British colonials and territorials and the French foreign legion in reserve, were to be seen. Time and again long waves of French colonials swept forward, but no sooner did they leave the shelter of their trenches than the Turks, who had been lying absolutely quiet, opened up a tremendous fire from concealed trenches.

"Each day's attacks were preceded by furious shell fire from the warships, but the Turks could not be shaken and our infantry advances met such an iron hail that the line wavered and then broke. The fire which the Turks developed was indescribable, and it was impossible to locate their batteries."

Stupendous Bombardment.

Describing the third day's fighting, the correspondent says:

"At 5:15 o'clock in the afternoon there suddenly opened from every ship afloat and battery ashore the most stupendous bombardment ever witnessed. Fifteen-inch and twelve-inch shells, charged with lyddite, caused the most terrible explosions, apparently consuming entire hills. Smaller shells, both lyddite and shrapnel, searched every yard of the slopes and sprayed the country between Achi-Baba and our trenches. The noise was frightful, the hills echoing the detonations of thousands of projectiles.

"The whole region did not have the appearance of being shelled, but it seemed rather as if it had suddenly been set afire."

Australasians Praised.

It was covered with a solid bank of yellow, green and white smoke whence numberless volcanoes burst into eruption. The bombardment lasted a quarter of an hour. According to all preconceived notions, the enemy should have been wiped out and incapable of resisting an infantry advance. Not a single Turk was visible, and their artillery had not fired a round. Suddenly the guns ceased fire, and as one man, the entire line of infantry leaped forward to the assault of Krithia.

"In spite of all this artillery preparation, however, the enemy was waiting and ready. No sooner had our men emerged from cover than a storm of rifle and machine gun fire was opened on them. But our troops never hesitated. The New Zealanders and Australians, particularly, charged with bayonets straight into the Turkish line. The manner in which these Dominion troops went forward never will be forgotten by witnesses who saw them melt away under the dreadful fusillade, only to be renewed again as reserves and supports moved forward to replace the fallen.

"At length, a point was reached from which no further advance was possible and each man lay down and dug himself in. It became obvious that the attack had spent its force. Only a few hundred yards had been won and the hope of taking Krithia by direct assault had to be abandoned."

SUCCESSFUL SHOWER.

EXETER, May 18.—Mrs. D. Johns and daughter, Lila, gave a musical and towel shower at their home, William street, Monday evening. There were some sixty guests invited. The towels are to be sent to a hospital in France. Those taking part in the musical were: Misses Bissett and Seldon, Master Gladman, Misses Muxworthy, Bissett, Atcheson, Mr. Philips, Misses Moncur, Hueston, Follick, Mr. Howard, Misses Dixon, and Margaret Gladman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McTavish, of Shakespeare, are visiting at the former's parents, Reeve Taylor. Mr. McTavish returned home Monday, while Mrs. McTavish and children will remain for a while.

NEEDLE IN HEART OF MAN WHO FEARED DEATH BY POISONING

Post Mortem Reveals Strange Circumstance, Where Relatives Were Concerned About Preston Man's Death.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

PRESTON, May 18. — An inquest was held at Preston this afternoon before Coroner Ochs, with D. S. Bowlby acting for the crown attorney, into the death of John Watersworth, suddenly early Sunday morning.

The reason for the inquest was the fact that Watersworth had made a statement to his brother, who lives in Toronto, while visiting him recently, that he feared poisoning.

Dr. Scott Hogg, who made the post-mortem, stated that upon examination of the heart there was found in the left ventricle, near the valve, a needle two and a quarter inches long, which penetrated the wall of the heart, and that the eye-end of it was firmly embedded and must have been there for some time, as when extracted with a pair of nippers it contained deposits.

Such a condition is very rarely found. The stomach was greatly distended, and this, together with other abnormal conditions, would be sufficient to cause death.

The coroner, in his address to the jury, was of the opinion that death was not due to poisoning. The jury brought in a verdict, "That deceased came to his death by the peculiar condition of his heart, together with indigestion."

Had Complained of Cramps.

The evidence went to show that the man had come to the house of Mr. Knight, his former boarding house, on Saturday night last and, having complained of cramps in the stomach, he had asked to remain, which he did. He remained around the house all day Sunday and retired about 9:30 Sunday, and about 12:30 the household was awakened by the groans of the deceased, who complained of cramps in the stomach. Medical attendance was sent for, but before the arrival of Dr. Ochs the patient had died.

REVOLVER IS FOUND; BELIEVED THE ONE THAT KILLED SHOUP

[Special to The Advertiser.]

SIMCOE, May 18.—It is understood that Inspector John Miller has located a revolver which he believes was the weapon with which Christian Shoup was murdered in the township of Walsingham on Tuesday last.

The adjourned inquest will be resumed this afternoon, and it is rumored that startling disclosures will be made.

Inspector Miller, since he was detailed to the case, which at first appeared bare of clues, has spent much time in the vicinity of the crime, and, while reticent to make disclosures, stated today that his investigations were nearing a conclusion and that the public would probably be satisfied.

People Wrought Up.

As the time for the inquest draws near, the interest in the case taken by neighbors in the township of Walsingham increases. A quiet man, respected and liked by the people of the section, his dreadful death, while pursuing his harmless daily duties, is keenly felt, and reports have come to the county town of threats being made against the life of the man suspected of having done the deed, if he could be reached.

Many depredations have been committed for years past in the neighborhood by men who were unwilling to work, and now that these outrages have been capped by a deliberate murder for the small sum that the victim was carrying, the countryside is much wrought up.

Emerson Shelly, who has had a career that is anything but enviable from the time that he was accused of having shot Michael Hall in August, 1902, is in jail in Woodstock. Arrested in that city last Wednesday he was sentenced to two years charged with an offence against a 13-year-old girl on Thursday, May 6.

Shelley's Movements Traced.

Interviewed by Inspector John Miller, in the cell in the Woodstock jail, Shelly gave a story of his movements for some days prior to the crime, but it is expected that evidence to be brought out tomorrow will disprove some of his statements. In fact, Inspector Miller's work has elicited the whereabouts of Shelly for some days before the 11th of May, and up to a very short time before Mr. Shoup was shot.

A rumor was current in Simcoe and other parts of Norfolk today to the effect that a confession had been made, but the authorities declared that this is absolutely untrue.

"ONCE A BARONET ALWAYS A BARONET"

LONDON, May 18.—7 p.m.—Sir Edgar Speyer cannot divest himself of his baronetcy, which in his letter to Premier Asquith he asked to have done.

"Once a baronet, always a baronet," said an official of the College of Arms today. "Sir Edgar may cease to call himself a baronet but he still remains one, and if he had any sons the eldest would succeed him with the same.

ADMIRALTY CONFIRMS SINKING OF SUBMARINE

LONDON, May 19.—1:14 a.m.—Confirmation of the previous report of the sinking of the Australian submarine AE-2 in the Dardanelles is contained in an official communication issued by the admiralty. The statement says the crew of the vessel are prisoners of the Turks.

The sinking of the AE-2 was announced in a Turkish official communication May 11. The boat was sent to the bottom by Turkish warships while it was trying to enter the Sea of Marmora. Three officers and twenty-nine men of the crew were taken prisoners.

MARRIED BY PROXY.

[Canadian Press.]

Paris, May 19.—The first marriage by proxy in this city took place yesterday at the city hall in the Latin Quarter. Alfred Lorin, the bridegroom, a Paris attorney, who is now a soldier in the 71st Infantry at the front, was represented by his friend, Firmin Souq. The bride was Mlle. Marie Martigny. The ceremony was performed in strict privacy and the bride wept as she made the responses.

HEAVY MIST HAS HALTED FIGHTING

German Losses In Flanders Very Heavy —Two Thousand Found Dead.

PARIS, May 18.—10:25 p.m.—The official statement given out this evening by the French war department says:

"Continuous rains since Monday night and a thick mist making it impossible to see for a distance of 100 meters (about 200 feet) have rendered operations impossible.

"There have been no engagements on the entire front. Even the cannonading has been very weak."

The French war office this afternoon issued the following:

2,000 German Dead.

"On the terrain to the west of the Yser Canal, conquered by us yesterday and the day before yesterday, the Germans left about 2,000 dead and a great number of rifles.

"During the course of the engagements of yesterday we made some further prisoners.

"To the east of the canal we have consolidated the positions recently taken by us.

"During the night the Germans undertook a particularly violent counter-attack, preceding this action by a bombardment with artillery and bomb-throwers. They were repulsed.

"In the region to the north of Notre Dame De Lorette, on the road from Aix-Noulette to Souchez, we checked completely by our fire two other German counter-attacks.

"As for ourselves, we captured, as a result of a night advance, a group of houses near the cemetery of Abtain. Along the front, to the north of Arras, the artillery fighting is continuing by day and by night. The Germans have bombarded Arras with particular ferocity.

"In the region of Ville-au-Bois, near Berry-au-Bac, the enemy yesterday undertook a fresh attack, but he was easily repulsed."

GERMAN REPORT.

BERLIN, May 18, via London, May 18—6 p.m.—German army headquarters today gave out the following report on the progress of hostilities:

"Quiet reigned yesterday north of Ypres on the canel near Steenstraete and Het Sas. Southeast of Bossinghe, on the eastern bank of the canal, fighting developed at some points and continues today. South of Neuve Chapelle yesterday and again today British attacks were repulsed with heavy losses to the enemy.

"Renewed French attacks on the heights of Lorette, near Ablainand, west of Souchez, resulted in failure. Prisoners to the number of 150 remained in our hands at this point.

"Near Ailly the fighting of the infantry came to a standstill, and a French advance broke down under our flanking fire.

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Divisional orders by Col. L. W. Shannon, administering the 1st Divisional Area. Headquarters, 1st Division, London, Ont., May 17, 1915:

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF.

No. 126—Instructions, Regulations, etc.

The following extracts from general order dated April 15, 1915, are published for general information:

Localization.—The Canadian Signal Corps—With reference to general order 96, 1913, appendix "8" in column 3 "Station," No. 1 Signal Company; opposite No. 3 section delete "Woodstock" and substitute "Lucan, Ont." H.Q. 79-8-9.

Nomenclature.—1st Div., 29th Waterloo Regt.—This regiment will in future be designated the 29th Regt. (Highland Light Infantry of Canada). H.Q., 7-31-22.

The Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service Medal.

The undermentioned are awarded the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service Medal, under the provisions of the royal warrant, dated May 18, 1899, and general order 132 of November, 1901: Capt. C. McPhail, 33rd Huron Regt. and Sergt. W. P. Howard, 1st (Howitzer) Brigade, C.F.A.

No. 127—Appointments, Promotions and Retirements.

The following extracts from general order No. 48, dated April 8, 1915, are published for general information:

Cavalry—1st Hussars—To be provisional lieutenant (supernumerary), William George Hilland Pettypiece, gentleman, March 22, 1915.

Infantry—7th Regt. (Fusiliers)—Lieut. (supernumerary) L. D. Lilly is transferred to the 53rd Sherbrooke Regt., April 3, 1915. 22nd Regt. (the Oxford Rifles)—To be provisional lieutenant (supernumerary), Edwin John Kaufmann, gentleman, March 25, 1915. 26th Regt. (Middlesex Light Infantry)—Provisional Lieutenant (supernumerary) W. R. Smith is absorbed into the establishment. To be provisional lieutenants (supernumerary), James McStay Young, gentleman, March 26, 1915; Sergt. James Faulkner, March 25, 1915. 30th Regt. (Wellington Rifles), Lieut. (supernumerary) L. G. Benham is absorbed into the establishment. To be provisional lieutenant (supernumerary), George McGill Pinkerton, gentleman, March 24, 1915. 108th Regt.—To be provisional lieutenant, George Victor Morton, gentleman, March 29, 1915.

(Signed) W. A. McCRIMMON, Lt.-Col. A.-A. A.G., 1st Division.

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NEW GOVERNMENT ALL UNHAMPERED

No Understanding Between Parties in Manitoba, Says Winnipeg Paper.

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[Canadian Press.]

Winnipeg, May 19.—The Manitoba Free Press editorial today says in part:

"There has been no understanding between the outgoing and incoming governments.

"The Roblin Government went out of office for reasons which doubtless appeared sufficient to it. What those reasons were, Sir Rodmond can best set forth, if he desires to be frank with the public. But, in any event, the Roblin Government in stepping out was merely forestalling the inevitable. The end had come for the Roblin regime.

All Unhampered.

"The Norris Government has taken office unhampered in the slightest degree by any stipulation or understanding. It is free to proceed with its first duty—the clearing up of the Parliament Building mess. Every dollar stolen from the people of Manitoba must be recovered if its recovery is legally possible; and if any parties, no matter who they are, ought to go to jail, they will go so far as the action of the attorney-general's department can put them there.

"This, however, is now a country of law, and the Government can achieve its object, the recovery of money and the punishment of the guilty, only by actions at law. The royal commission may uncover the facts, but the punishment can come only by way of regularly constituted civil and criminal courts.

May Go to Country.

"As for an election, the Norris Government is quite free to go to the country if it deems that course wisest. If ten members from the Conservative side of the House choose to vacate their seats, that is their business. They will do so, doubtless, in the hope that the Norris Government will be content with securing this support from the constituencies, thus leaving intact in the Legislature an Opposition of some 18 Conservative members.

"If it (the Government) decides to ask the people to give it new authorization to administer the affairs of the province, and further, to deal with those members who betrayed the public interests at the last session, it will be within its rights. This is a matter which the Norris Government is competent to settle, and it will be dealt with in due time."

OPENING CONVALESCENT HOME FOR CANADIANS

Londoners Contribute Towards Institution Which Is Located in England.

[Canadian Press.]

Ottawa, May 19—Consequent upon a desire being expressed by authorities connected with the Canadian hospitals in England and France, the first convalescent home in which Canadian soldiers, after leaving hospital, can enjoy the recuperating influences of a resting place will be opened in England early next month. At the solicitation and by the exertions of Mrs. Sandford H. Fleming, of Ottawa, the institution is being placed upon a very satisfactory basis. The officers are to receive the rank of honorary lieutenants and Surgeon General Carleton Jones is taking a great interest in the work. A New York committee, with Mrs. Bogart as secretary is meeting with generous financial response. During this week subscriptions have been received from J. J. Hill, chairman of the Great Northern, St. Paul, $500; the Red Cross of Pembroke, $200; Messrs. Hyman and Duffield, London, $200, and many others for $100.

E. S. Houston, manager of the Imperial Bank of Canada at Ottawa, receives all checks and gives receipts therefor.

EXPENDITURES FOR EDUCATION OVER FOR TIME

$233,000 Public School Building Program for 1915 Finishes Spending for Five Years.

What is tantamount to an official statement from the board of education comes in the announcement, semi-officially, that with the $233,000 public school building program of the present year, the expenditures for this branch of education are practically over for the next five years. Of course there will be exceptions to this in possibly one or two districts, but from present indications the only expenditures on the horizon of the board of education are for Collegiate and Industrial School purposes.

The only new public school that is likely to be erected here, for some time at least, is one in the eastern district, between Hamilton road and Dundas street, a district that is fast building up with workingmen's houses. A four or even a six or eight-roomed school may be built here, but this seems the only district that is now in need of additional public school accommodation.

Justifies Expenditures.

In going over the public school situation today, Chairman A. E. Silverwood of the building committee of the board, pointed out that while many citizens whose childen are past the school age, and whose direct interest in education has therefore waned, were at present criticising what they pleased to term the extravagance of the board of education, the expenditures were really justified.

"It is true that we have had a public school expenditure that has run well up into three-quarters of a million in the past few years," said the chairman, "but then, you must understand, that the city has grown in the same time, and that prior to the commencement of our building program, which started with the Alexandra School, we had hardly spent a cent on school construction for twenty years, and that the majority of our educational plants were not only old but antiquated.

About Through Now.

"However, we are practically through now, with one or two exceptions, and I am quite convinced that the citizens in general believe that we are justified in what we have done. So long as we are producing results and the people are getting value for their money, I cannot see how any great exception can be taken to what we have been doing.

"We are now, I believe, in such shape that we can meet all requirements in the way of public schools for the next five years, and the only building propositions that we will have to consider will be those of the new junior high schools and the Industrial School. I would like to see these started as soon as possible, not this year, of course, but I think that they are badly needed, and am convinced that popular sentiment throughout the city is in accord with such a belief.

"With the schools that will go up this year we will have an educational system of which we can be proud, and which, as I have mentioned before, will be adequate to meet all demands, unless something unforeseen occurs, for many years to come."

Voice of the People

A Brick From Pittsburg.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

I am inclosing you editorials of a recent date of The Advertiser, and also a front-page clipping of May 4, with reference to the attitude of our President, Woodrow Wilson.

Better learn to write editorials, Mr. Editor, or else don't try to. We Americans, especially we of Canadian descendants, and a great majority of the American people, want to see the Allies win, and wish them success, but at the same time we are loyal to a man for our President.

I consider your stuff which is placed on the editorial page as rotten, and insulting to President Wilson. I also notice you have nothing editorially, to say in regard to President Wilson's note to Germany.

Brace up, editor! We Americans sometimes read your sheet. Yours respectfully,

A CANADIAN - AMERICAN SUBSCRIBER.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 17, 1915.

A Suffragette's Scorcher.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

I have this evening read in The Advertiser the letter from "A Private," and he has fully sounded my views upon the general attitude of the public towards our soldier boys. It is they who go to fight for our freedom, to endure hardships, and if necessary sacrifice their lives in order that we may have peace and happiness, and be suffered to climb unmolested and undisturbed farther up the tree of knowledge. Yet some will openly sneer at these brave fellows. Is it unbelievable? Surely they cannot recognize the noble, sacrificing spirit that animates the hearts of these brave fellows, who leave their all to fight for "us," they themselves being such arrant cowards that their shallow natures cannot take in the beautiful meaning of the sacrifice. The "stay-at-home" man who does not love and honor the soldier-boy with the deepest respect is a mean, unprincipled, contemptible cad, and a "man" only in name. To me the soldier-boy is the idealistic type of true, bold manhood, and if I were a man I should most assuredly go to the front. It is not merely the call of civilization. It is a call that will awaken and stir within all of us (except the stay-at-home man) impulses worthy of the noblest sacrifices. It is a call that surely the "noblest" answer. Then why are our soldiers not treated with greater respect by the "stay-at-home" men, whose miserable natures awake at the sound of a gun and who find satisfaction in making sarcastic remarks to our soldiers. Surely any of you men who are kept from going to the front because of family or home ties, will punch the first one of these typical "things" you hear taunting our soldier boys. Hoping I have not said too much, I remain,

A SUFFRAGETTE.

London, May 17, 1915.

THREE MORE BODIES

Two of Lusitania Victims Probably Chicago Men—Woman Unidentified.

[Canadian Press.]

Queenstown (via London), May 19.—11:10 a.m.—The bodies of three victims of the Lusitania disaster, two men and one woman, were recovered from the sea yesterday. The men presumably are Charles H. Lund, of Chicago, and Montagu F. Grant, of London and Chicago. The body of the woman has not been identified.

CANADIAN FARMS BETTER THAN U. S.

So Declare Party of Japanese Who Passed Through London Today.

A party of wealthy Japanese businessmen, touring the United States for educational purposes, and to see the way things are done on this continent, passed through here today via the Grand Trunk from New York, en route to Chicago and San Francisco, from which port they will sail for Japan.

The interpreter of the party stated that all the members were greatly impressed with the Canadian farms from Niagara Falls to this city. He said that judging from the look of the fields the farms on this side of the border in many instances looked far superior to those in the United States.

Speaking of the European conflict the speaker of the party stated that when they left Japan some time ago, the residents of that country were hoping that the Allies would let the Japanese military authorities send a large army over to aid them in their fight against the Germans.

KAISER AT FRONT

Berlin Says He Was With Eastern Troops Sunday.

[Canadian Press.]

Amsterdam, via London, May 19.—An official statement issued in Berlin says Emperor William was present Sunday while fighting was in progress on the eastern front, first with the general staff and later with a division which was struggling to force a crossing of the San River.

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ITALY'S MOVE

to prohibit suspected persons from traveling on the railroads or even approaching the lines. All travelers are warned that at certain points they must not look from the carriage windows, but must keep the shutters closed.

Any person approaching a tunnel or bridge will be imprisoned for six months. If war has been declared when the offence is committed they will be court-martialed. Soldiers and the police are intrusted with the enforcement of the decree and are authorized to fire upon persons who violate its provisions.

FORTY KILLED.

Rome, May 18.—11:15 p.m. (via Paris, May 19.)—Forty persons were killed and several hundred wounded by the police and Austrian troops in quelling the uprising in Pola, according to the Idea Nazionale. Many persons are said to have been suffocated at the navy yard, where the outbreak began. Homes of Italian subjects are said to have been sacked by the authorities.

WATCHING ROUMANIA.

Rome, May 18.—9:20 p.m. (via Paris, May 19.)—Roumania's attitude regarding the war is being watched with keenest interest, as no official announcement has been made as to whether the cordial relations which always have existed between that country and Italy have been transformed into an actual alliance. There undoubtedly is a diplomatic understanding between the two Governments, as Prince Ghika, the Roumanian minister, is the only foreign diplomat who has had long daily interviews with Foreign Minister Sonnino during the past fortnight.

Count Von Thun Hohenstein of Trent, grand master of the Knights of Malta, an Austrian subject, left today for Vienna after an audience with Pope Benedict.

Quick Typesetting.

The Green Book, containing diplomatic documents designed to show the attitude of Italy since the beginning of the war and the efforts made to reconcile the obligations of the Triple Alliance with the Italian national aspirations, was "set up" in one night by the typesetters employed by the Chamber of Deputies. Every precaution was taken to prevent the printers from communicating with persons outside their office, and they were reminded that any betrayal of the secrets contained in the Green Book would make them punishable by several years' imprisonment, under the law recently enacted for the defence of the state.

The Green Book is said to show that if Italy fights it will be because of necessity and that during the negotiations with Austria the representatives of the dual monarchy apparently had failed to realize that Italy was firmly determined to enter the war if she was unable to obtain satisfactory territorial concessions by diplomatic action.

Where Austria Failed.

The documents seek to demonstrate that Austria failed from the first to understand that one of Italy's chief purposes was to have her recognize the justice of the demands made by this country. For Italy, it was a question of maintaining her dignity before the world and gaining her object at any cost. The Green Book contains also the note of May 4, in which Italy, after summarizing the course of events and emphasizing that Austria's course had been contrary to the letter and spirit of the Triple Alliance treaty, denounced that treaty.

In explanation of the manner in which the treaty was denounced, it may be stated that on May 4, the Duke of Avarna, Italian ambassador at Vienna, acting under instructions from his Government, notified the Austrian minister of foreign affairs that Italy considered Austria's declaration of war against Servia a violation of the Triple Alliance treaty.

Situation Intolerable.

He added that the negotiations started first by Germany and continued by Austria with a view of giving Italy compensation for maintaining neutrality, had resulted in Italy deciding to resume her complete liberty of action, both because the Austrian offers were totally inadequate and because Italy's situation had become intolerable. Austria made no reply, but continued the negotiations offering additional concessions.

It is said here that Austria already has decided to intrust to the United States the protection of her subjects in Italy in the event of war, which is considered inevitable. Owing to the feeling caused in the United States by the sinking of the Lusitania, Germany is reported to have decided to ask Switzerland to undertake the same task for German subjects and property in this country. It is understood that the Swiss minister here already has been unofficially informed that the mission would be intrusetd to him.

MISLEADING STATEMENT.

[Canadian Press.]

Rome, May 18, via Paris, May 19.—Resentment has been caused here by the statement appearing in some German papers to the effect that Italy has denounced its treaty with the Triple Alliance only so far as it refers to Austria. The purpose of this statement is believed to be to give the impression that it is possible for Italy to fight only the Dual Monarchy.

Rome papers point out that Italy's denunciation of the treaty only to Austria was not intended to imply that Germany would not assist her ally, but simply to accentuate the fact that whatever differences exist are between Italy and Austria alone, and not between Italy and Germany.

THE DIARY OF MARS

Information from various sources indicates that the defeat of the Russians in Galicia has reached serious proportions. British correspondents at Petrograd, who heretofore have been willing to concede little to the Austrians and Germans, admit that the Russians have been forced to retreat along a 200-mile line. The statement is made, however, that the Germans and Austrians have not thus far won a victory of decisive strategic significance, and that their losses have been enormous.

Austria is reported to have offered further territorial grants in the hope of keeping Italy out of the war. Every preparation for hostilities has been made, the German and Austrian ambassadors are ready to leave Rome, and the Italian railroads have been placed under military control. It is expected that the final decision will be known quickly after Parliament meets tomorrow.

Reconstruction of the British ministry apparently has been decided, although it is believed the Unionist leaders will seek the formal sanction of their followers at a party meeting before definite action is taken. It is assumed in London that sweeping changes will be made in forming the coalition Government.

A dispatch from Mytilene says fresh troops have been landed by the Allies on the Asiatic side of the Dardanelles near the entrance to the straits. The Turks are now said to possess an abundance of shells, after having been threatened for some time with a shortage.

PROMISED TO RETURN

Pte. Kirby Left Hospital at His Own Request, Says Superintendent.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

In reference to the case of Pte. J. W. Kirby, who is said to have been discharged from Victoria Hospital, I desire to state that this is not correct. At his own request he was given permission by the superintendent to go out to the camp to see his comrades from 3 to 5 o'clock p.m. on Monday last, and he promised to return at that hour.

As he had on the previous day gone up town, there was no hesitancy in granting this request. I might say that the hospital staff are pleased to minister to the needs of sick soldiers, they and their comrades having received special privileges at our hands. The medical and surgical staff have given their services free in all cases. I regret there has been any misunderstanding in the case of Pte. Kirby. Yours sincerely,

T. H. HEARD, Superintendent.

Murdered By Kaiser Wilhelm

Jury's Verdict in Death of John Smith, England.

[Canadian Press.]

Ramsgate, Eng., May 19—2:30 p.m.—A coroner's jury today returned a verdict of "wilful murder" against Emperor William, in the case of John Smith, who died as a result of shock following injuries sustained in the Zeppelin raid of Monday.

The coroner suggested that the jury fix the responsibility on the persons whom it regarded as being to blame for war waged in this manner.

BOTH WANT AMERICANS

Austria and Italy Put Diplomatic Interests in Their Hands.

[Canadian Press.]

Washington, May 19.—Both Austria and Italy have asked the United States to care for their diplomatic interests in Rome and in Vienna respectively, in the event of a severance of diplomatic relations. The Washington Government has instructed its embassies at the two capitals to be in readiness to do so.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

THE LOCAL MARKET

More than thirty-five loads of hay on the market square today brought the price down considerably, so that the average load sold for $14 per ton. About $15 per ton was the highest price paid for very choice loads; some loads sold for as low as $13 per ton.

Oats have been scarce, and only two loads were sold today, one for $1 92 and the other for $1 96 per cwt. Wheat is also scarce and sells at a firm figure.

Butter and eggs are as yet unchanged in price. Not for a couple of weeks is it expected that butter will decline.

Live hogs advanced today, selling for $8 75 per cwt. As a consequence, dressed hogs have become firmer, and sell now for $12 per cwt.

Poultry, vegetables and meats are steady.

Grain, Per Cwt.			
Wheat, per cwt	$2 33	to	2 33
Oats, per cwt	1 92	to	1 96
Grain, Per Bushel.			
Wheat, per bu	1 40	to	1 40
Oats, per bu	63	to	67
Vegetables.			
Potatoes, load, bag	45	to	45
Potatoes, per bag	50	to	50
Beets, per bu	40	to	40
Cabbages, each	5	to	5
Radishes, per bunch	2½	to	2½
Turnips, per bu	25	to	30
Carrots, per bu	40	to	40
Celery, each	5	to	10
Parsnips, per bu	50	to	50
Onions, per bunch	2½	to	2½
Lettuce, per bunch	2½	to	2½
Rhubarb, per doz	20	to	20
Asparagus, per doz	60	to	60
Fruit.			
Apples, per bag	75	to	1 00
Apples, per bbl	2 25	to	3 00
Hay and Straw.			
Hay, per ton	13 00	to	15 00
Straw, per load	5 50	to	6 00
Straw, per ton	8 00	to	8 00
Dairy Produce, Retail.			
Butter, dairy, lb	33	to	34
Butter, crocks, lb	30	to	30
Butter, rolls, lb	30	to	31
Eggs, per doz	22	to	22
Eggs, basket, doz	21	to	21
Honey, strained, 10 lbs	1 40	to	1 50
Dairy Produce, Wholesale.			
Butter, dairy, lb	33	to	33
Butter, crocks, lb	29	to	30
Butter, store lots, lb	27	to	28
Eggs, crate, doz	19	to	19
Eggs, basket, doz	20	to	21
Poultry, Alive, Wholesale.			
Old fowl, lb	14	to	15
Young chickens, lb	15	to	17
Turkeys, per lb	16	to	18
Poultry, Dressed, Wholesale.			
Old fowl, lb	16	to	17
Young chickens, lb	17	to	19
Ducks, per lb	11	to	12
Geese, per lb	13	to	13
Turkeys, per lb	20	to	21
Poultry, Dressed, Retail.			
Spring chickens, pair	1 00	to	1 50
Chickens, per lb	18	to	19
Turkeys, per lb	21	to	22
Live Stock.			
Hogs, per cwt	8 75	to	8 75
Small pigs, pair	7 00	to	9 00
Export cattle, cwt	8 00	to	8 50
Milch cows, each	75 00	to	90 00
Butchers' Meats.			
Dressed hogs, cwt	12 00	to	12 00
Veal, per cwt	9 00	to	12 00
Beef, per cwt	11 00	to	13 00
Mutton, per cwt	8 00	to	10 00
Yearling lamb, lb	15	to	18
Hides and Skins.			
Cow hides, No. 1	14	to	14
Cow hides, No. 2	13	to	13
Cow hides, No. 3	11	to	11
Calfskins, per lb	15	to	16
Sheepskins, each	1 00	to	1 75
Wool, unwashed, lb	14	to	14
Tallow, rendered	6	to	6
Tallow, rough	3	to	3

GRAIN.

Winnipeg, May 18.—Wheat futures opened ⅛c lower to ⅛c higher; oats ⅛c higher for both May and July, and flax 1c to 1½c higher for July and October. The volume of trading was light. Some new business in export sales was consummated this forenoon.

The demand for cash wheat was not so keen today, but, on the other hand, offerings were very light. Low grade oats, barley and flax were all in fair request, but offerings were meagre.

Total inspections on Monday were 417 cars, of which 364 were wheat, and 43 oats, and in sight for inspection today were 130 cars.

Wheat futures closed 1⅜c to 2¼c lower; cash wheat 2c to 2⅛c lower; oats ⅜c to ½c lower, and flax 1c lower.

Cash quotations: Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.58½; No. 2 northern, $1.55½; No. 3 northern, $1.52½; No. 4, $1.48½; No. 5, $1.43¾; No. 6, $1.39¾.

Oats—No. 2 Canadian western, 62¼c; No. 3 Canadian western, 59¾c; extra No. 1 feed, 59¾c; No. 1 feed, 59c; No. 2 feed, 58c.

Barley—No. 3 Canadian western, 70c; No. 4 Canadian western, 65c; feed, 63c.

Flax—No. 1 N. W. C., $1.77; No. 2 Canadian western, $1.74; No. 3 Canadian western, $1.57.

Chicago, May 19.—Splendid returns in Kansas and elsewhere tended today to bring about lower prices for wheat. A fall in quotations at Liverpool gave an additional advantage to the bears, and so also did the prospect of Italy entering the war. Shorts, however, were prompt to seize the chance to cover. After opening ¼c to ⅞c down the market rallied, steadying at around last night's level.

Liverpool, May 19.—Wheat—Spot, No. 1 northern spring, 13s 5d.

Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new, 8s 4d; La Plata mixed, 8s 1½d.

FLOUR.

Liverpool, May 19.—Flour—Winter patents, 50s.

HOPS.

Liverpool, May 19.—Hops (in London) Pacific coast, £3 5s to £4 15s.

PROVISIONS.

Liverpool, May 19.—Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, 65s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, 83s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 65s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, 70s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, 62s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, 56s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, new, 50s 3d; do, old, 51s 3d; American refined, in pails, 52s; do, 56-lb boxes, 50s 9d.

OILS AND METALS.

Liverpool, May 19.—Tallow—Prime city, 35s; Australian (in London), 34s 6d.

Turpentine Spirits—37s 6d.

Petroleum—Refined, 9d.

Linseed Oil—12s 7½d.

Cottonseed Oil (Hull refined)—Spot, 32s 9d.

LIVE STOCK.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Glasgow, May 19.—Watson & Batchelor report: Scotch steers, 12½c to 14c; Irish, 11⅝c to 13c; bulls, 10¾c to 12c, live weight; shorter supplies and firmer demand.

Chicago, May 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 16,000; market weak; beeves, $6 90 to $9 20; western steers, $6 10 to $7 90; cows and heifers, $3 25 to $8 75; calves, $6 50 to $9.

Hogs—Receipts, 33,000; market slow; light, $7 35 to $7 65; mixed, $7 35 to $7 60; roughs, $7 15 to $7 30; pigs, $5 75 to $7 35; bulk of sales at $7 50 to $7 60.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; market was steady; sheep, $6 60 to $8 50; lambs, native, $7 75 to $9 90.

Montreal, May 19.—Trade at the East End market was fair today; with no material change in the prices, quality considered. Receipts were: Cattle, 300; cows and springers, 100; calves, 1,100; sheep and lambs, 250; hogs, 1,350.

Prime beeves, 8¼c to 8½c; medium, 6c to 8c; common, 5c to 6c; cows, $40 to $80 each; calves, 5c to 8½c.

Sheep, 5c to 7c; lambs, $4 50 to $6 50 each.

Hogs, 9½c.

Toronto, May 19.—With a good run of cattle, trading on the Union stockyards was steady today for handy weight butchers' cattle, but very draggy for heavy cattle. Prices were about the same as yesterday. Calves were strong and sheep and lambs firm. Hogs advanced another 10c. Receipts were 594 cattle, 354 calves, 1,838 hogs and 353 sheep. Quotations:

Cattle, butchers, choice, cwt, $8 to $8 25; do, medium, $6 75 to $7 25; do, common, $6 to $6 50; butcher cows, choice, $7 to $7 25; do, medium, $5 50 to $6 25; do, canners, $3 75 to $4 25; do, bulls, $7 to $7 50; feeding steers, $7 to $7 50; stockers, choice, $6 75 to $7 25; do, light, $6 to $6 50; milkers, choice, each, $65 to $85; springers, each, $50 to $85; calves, $8 to $9 50.

Sheep—Ewes, cwt, $7 to $7 25; bucks and culls, $5 50 to $6; lambs, $9 to $10.

Hogs—Fed and watered, cwt, $9 35 to $9 45; f. o. b., $9 to $9 10.

East Buffalo, N.Y., May 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,200; fairly active. Veals—Receipts, 200; active, $4 50 to $9 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,200; fairly active; heavy and mixed, $7 90; yorkers, $7 75 to $7 90; pigs, $7 50 to $7 75; roughs, $6 50 to $6 65; stags, $5 to $5 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 600; active; lambs, $6 to $11; yearlings, $5 50 to $9 50; wethers, $8 50 to $8 75; ewes, $3 to $8; sheep, mixed, $8 to $8.25.

COTTON.

Liverpool, May 18.—Cotton—Futures closed barely steady: May-June, 5.13½d; June-July, 5.19d; July-August, 5.20d; October-November, 5.50½d; January-February, 5.65d; March-April, 5.72½d.

Spot—Quiet; prices, unchanged; American middling, fair, 6.15d; good middling, 5.59d; middling, 5.23d; low middling, 4.79d; good ordinary, 4.39d; ordinary, 4.09d. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included 6,400 American. Receipts were 60,000 bales, including 52,700 American.

New York, May 18.—Cotton—Futures closed steady; closing bids: May, 9.15c; July, 9.36c; October, 9.73c; December, 9.96c.

Spot—Closed quiet; middling uplands, 9.55c. Sales, 700 bales.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, May 19.

	Asked.	Bid.
Barcelona Traction	9	8½
Brazilian T., L. & P.	53	..
Bell Telephone	147	..
Burt, pfd.	89	..
Canada Bread, com.	30	..
Canada Bread, pfd.	90	..
Canada Cement, com.	28	..
Canada Cement, pfd.	90½	..
Canada Steamships, pfd.	59	..
Canadian General Electric	91	..
Can. Locomotive, com.	38	..
Can. Locomotive, pfd.	..	35
Canadian Pacific	..	157⅞
Canadian Salt	110	..
City Dairy, com.	98	..
City aDiry, pfd.	..	100
Consumers' Gas	182½	..
Dominion Canners, com.	31½	..
Dominion Steel	..	27
Duluth-Superior	55	..
Mackay, com.	..	78½
Mackay, pfd.	68½	..
Maple Leaf, com.	63½	62¾
Maple Leaf, pfd.	97	96
Monarch, pfd.	82	..
Pacific Burt, com.	28	..
Pacific Burt, pfd.	80	..
Petroleum	950	915
Porto Rico, com.	46	..
Porto Rico, pfd.	100	..
Rogers, pfd.	99	..
St. L. & C. Navigation	100	..
Shredded Wheat	92	..
Spanish River	..	4
Steel of Canada, com.	14	13½
Steel of Canada, pfd.	69	..
Toronto Railway	111	..
Tucketts, com.	29	..
Tuckets, pfd.	90	..
Twin City, com.	98	97
Winnipeg Railway	180	..
Coniagas Mines	..	450
Crown Reserve Mines	75	70
Hollinger Mines	2700	2600
La Rose	60	55
Nipissing Mines	575	560
Trethewey Mines	15½	..
Bank of Commerce	203	..
Dominion Bank	227	..
Bank of Hamilton	201	..
Imperial Bank	210	..
Merchants' Bank	180	..
Bank of Nova Scotia	261	..
Ottawa Bank	207	..
Royal Bank	221¼	..
Bank of Toronto	211	..
Union Bank	140	..
Canada Landed	162	..
Canada Permanent	188	..
Colonial Investment	78	..
Dominion Savings	..	81
Hamilton Provident	..	140
Huron & Erie	211	..
Landed Banking	..	145
London & Canadian	..	134
National Trust	228	..
Ontario Loan	173	..
Toronto General Trusts	210	..
Toronto Mortgage	..	138
Canada Bread, bonds	93	..
Electrical Dev., bonds	88	..
Penmans, bonds	..	89
Steel of Canada, bonds	88	..

MONEY MARKET.

London, May 19.—Bar silver, 23½d per ounce.

Money, 1¼ to 1½ per cent.

Discount rates—Short bills, 2⅝ to 2¾ per cent; three months, 2 13-16 to 2⅞ per cent.

New York, May 19.—Bar silver, 49⅝d per ounce.

PARIS BOURSE.

Paris, May 19.—Trading was steady on the bourse today. Three per cent rentes, 72 francs 25 centimes for cash; exchange on London, 25 francs 73 centimes.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, May 19.—Money and discount rates were easy today.

The stock market was little affected by the political crisis, and there was a good demand for short-dated gilt-edged securities and treasury bills. Oil and rubber shares showed increasing activity. Copper shares were dull, and Russians ruled easy.

The American section was fairly active at a lower parity, but improved in the afternoon and finished steady. A number of dealings were made in Amalgamated Copper rights around a dollar.

Closing prices were:

Consols, for money	66½
Amalgamated Copper	68¼
Atchison, common	102½
Baltimore & Ohio	74½
Canadian Pacific	166
Chesapeake & Ohio	44
Chicago Great Western	12
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	92¼
De Beers	11½
Denver & Rio Grande	8¼
Erie, common	26¼
Erie, first preferred	40¾
Grand Trunk	9⅞
Illinois Central	110½
Louisville & Nashville	120
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	12
New York Central	87¼
Norfolk & Western	105¾
Ontario & Western	28
Pennsylvania Railway	55½
Rand Mines	4⅞
Reading Railway	17
Southern Pacific	90
Union Pacific	128⅜
United States Steel	54¼

WALL STREET.

New York, May 19—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—Stocks opened with some signs of improvement today, leading shares, as well as the unclassified group, scoring general gains. In some instances, notably the war specialties and coppers, advanced a point or better. Union Pacific was the feature of the investment issues, with a one-point gain. Missouri Pacific was almost the sole exception to the general trend, adding a fraction to yesterday's decline as a result of the uncertainty attending its note extension plan. London's market for internationals reflected irregularity at that centre.

Noon.—Cables pointing to an early severance of relations between Italy and her Teutonic allies, semi-official denial of Germany's abandonment of her submarine warfare, and indications of further delay in that Government's reply to Washington's recent note, caused a general cancellation of initial gains. Trading dwindled to minor proportions, the only notable feature being increased heaviness in Missouri Pacific and a three-point decline in Chesapeake and Ohio, based on doubtful dividend prospects. Towards midday prices hardened again. Bonds were steady.

CANADIANS ANXIOUS TO BECOME AVIATORS

Seven Hundred Have Volunteered for Service In That Branch.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, May 19.—A lot of Canadians want to fly. Seven hundred young men from all over Canada have communicated their desire to the naval service department. About fifty of them have already taken the essential first step, and are learning to operate aeroplanes at the Toronto school. It is expected that the first flock of Canadian airmen will be dispatched to England in the course of a few weeks. There they will take a finishing course under admiralty direction, and when pronounced competent will be liable for service wherever the admiralty desires to use them. They may be kept in England for service with the Channel and North Sea fleets, they may be sent to the British lines in France or Flanders, or may go to the Dardanelles. If the war lasts a year longer, it looks as if there would be a good many Canadian airmen at the front.

BULLET BARELY MISSED

Nelson Roucliffe Ran Amuck in East Side Last Night.

Nelson Roucliffe, taken into custody by the police last night and on whom a loaded revolver was found, was fined $10 and costs by His Worship Police Magistrate J. C. Judd today, when he pleaded guilty to carrying concealed weapons.

Roucliffe ran amuck in the East Side last night and was taken to police headquarters after he had fired three shots from a revolver. One of the shots just missed a man on a bicycle as he was passing the spot where Roucliffe was performing his "Wild West" antics.

In court, Roucliffe stated that some time ago he purchased the revolver for $1. He said he did not know the man he bought it from.

The P. M. ordered the weapon confiscated.

SECTIONMEN INJURED WHEN HAND CAR "JUMPS"

LEAMINGTON, May 18.—Dick Conner and Neil Roadhouse met with a serious accident last evening. While engaged with other sectionmen they were coming down the grade upon the handcar when the chain somehow got into the cap of the wheel, throwing the car and its occupants off the track to one side. The only ones hurt were, Conner, who had a dislocated shoulder and some bruises, and Neil Roadhouse, who was cut and otherwise badly shaken up. Drs. King and Reid attended to the injured men.

WILL NAME NEW G. M. TOMORROW

Public Utilities Commission to Appoint Successor to H. J. Glaubitz, Present Manager.

That long-delayed, long-expected appointment of a new general-manager of the public utilities commission will be made at its meeting on Thursday afternoon, if the chairman's word is anything to go on. Chairman Pocock announced today that, so far as he was concerned, the appointment would be made.

"I cannot speak for the commission, but I would not be surprised if it were made," he informed The Advertiser.

"Will it be a temporary appointment?" was asked.

"Oh, no; I don't think so," he replied. "We will make a permanent one."

Asked who the appointee would be, the chairman declined to say.

"It would not be fair to the other members of the commission for me to make any announcement of that character," he said.

Buchanan May Be Man.

Electrical Engineer E. V. Buchanan has been considered by all as the most likely successor to H. J. Glaubitz, and when his name was suggested to Chairman Pocock as the one that would be chosen the latter replied: "I wouldn't be surprised." Beyond this, however, he declined to go.

Apparently, from what can be gathered as to the general attitude of the commission, all dreams of a head engineer for London will go by the board. There was also some talk of a division of work being made, and Assistant General-Manager A. O. Hunt being appointed to assume full control of the business end of the waterworks, electrical and parks department, while Engineer Buchanan was made general superintendent and placed in charge of the actual operating work of these several departments. However, this, too, seems to have been abandoned, and the system will likely remain as it is now, with the central control over all phases of the commission's work vested in the general-manager.

HARRISTON MERCHANT DEAD.

HARRISTON, May 18.—T. G. McCracken, formerly an alderman and a merchant of Harriston, passed away on Sunday morning at his home in London, Ont. He was a member of Harriston Lodge, No. 127, A. O. U. W.

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A very interesting letter, with the Liverpool, England, postmark, evidently written at sea, has come to the Local Council of Women from Miss B. MacIntosh: "I am carrying your dear little purse with my gold pieces in it, and every time I open it I think of your kind words to me a few days before I left Victoria Hospital, my Alma Mater. I treasure both it and your letter highly. We have had a very pleasant voyage so far. The women of St. Johns gave us a very hearty welcome before we went on board the SS. Corsican. The passage has not been too cold or too rough; the nights beautiful with a full moon and usually a clear sky. We get very little news, as the wireless is never used unless absolutely necessary. Some day in England I will writ to you again, and I will greatly appreciate a word from my friends of the L. C. W.

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HISTORICAL SOCIETY NAMES NEW OFFICERS

David Rodgers Elected President—History of Catholic Church Reviewed.

Major T. J. Murphy reviewed the history of the Roman Catholic Church in London from the building of the first church, in 1837, to the present time, at the annual meeting of the London and Middlesex Historical Society last night.

Dennis O'Brien, who was the first Roman Catholic in this district, and who came to London in 1820, was largely instrumental in having built the first Roman Catholic church, which was erected at Maple and Richmond streets and which was burned in 1857. In 1852 old St. Peter's Church was erected at Dufferin avenue and Richmond street and 1880 the cathedral was commenced. It was five years in building, and was dedicated in 1885. Rev. Father P. J. McKeon is the present rector and chancellor of the diocese. In 1901, St. Mary's Church was commenced, and finished in 1902 from designs drawn by Father Traher, who died when the new church was dedicated.

There are now nine separate schools in the city all under the patronage of the Roman Catholic church: St. Martin's, St. John's, St. Margaret's, St. Michael's, St. Mary's, Lyle Street, St. Peter's School and Seminary, and St. Peter's parish hall, Sacred Heart, and the Sacred Heart Convent, a training school for teachers for the diocese.

Major Murphy pointed out that many of these teachers are Queen's University graduates, but that if the Western University degrees were recognized by the Ontario Department of Education, practically all of these would have attended the London institution. St. Andrew's College is for the training of young women and is a branch of the Ursuline College at St. Thomas. Mt. Hope and Mt. St. Joseph are largely for the schooling of orphan children of the diocese.

Officers for the coming year were elected as follows:

President, David Rodgers, 1st vice-president, A. Stevenson, 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Cl. T. Campbell, recording secretary, Miss S. Macklin, corresponding secretary, Miss E. Evans, curator, Dr. S. Woolverton, treasurer, Dr. Cl. T. Campbell. The executive is composed of the following members: T. H. Purdom K.C., Major T. J. Murphy, Professor J. Dearness, Henry Macklin J. P., Miss Priddis, Mrs. Brickenden and Alex Harvey, senior auditors, H. Macklin, and T. Bryan.

Reports of the treasurer and secretary were highly satisfactory.

PHILHARMONIC RECITAL

Pleasing Entertainment Given in Dundas Centre Church.

Seldom has a church entertainment in London attracted so large an audience or deserved so well of appreciation as the concert given last evening in Dundas Centre Methodist Church by the philharmonic orchestra and Mrs. Agnes Knox-Black.

The orchestra is a large one, consisting of forty instruments, and the perfection of harmony with which the many musical numbers were rendered reflects the greatest credit on the conductor, C. C. Irwin. The program opened with Roselle Pococke's arrangement of "God Save the King," and the other orchestral items included the overture from Nicolai's "Merry Wives of Windsor," Victor Herbert's "Badinage," a nocturne by Schumann, a selection from "Sweethearts" and Haydn's Symphonie No. 88.

Mrs. Knox-Black's readings were remarkable, not only for the magnificent diction of the well-known elocutionist, but for the interesting nature of the selections she gave. These included Barries' playlet, "The Will," a satire demonstrating the oft-time happiness-destroying influence of great wealth; two favorite poems of lovers of Kipling, Gunga Din and Mandalay, and Longfellow's "King Robert of Sicily."

Mrs. Knox-Black prefaced her reading of "The Will," by the recitation of "The Admiral's Ghost," a poem composed by Alferd Noyes describing a superstition of the sailormen of Cornwall that Nelson was a reincarnation of the spirit of Drake, who, when dying, was supposed to have promised to come to England's aid living or dead whenever she should need him. His return as Nelson was said by the Cornishmen to have been heralded by the rolling of drums, and Mrs. Knox-Black said the poem had a special interest at this time because only a month ago the old superstition had been revived in Cornwall by the assertion that the drums had been heard rolling and the declaration that this presaged the second reincarnation of Admiral Drake, whose spirit by the west countrymen now, is believed to have entered the body of Admiral Jellicoe, thus assuring the British naval forces of victory.

The big church had few empty seats, either in the body of the building or in the gallery.

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CITY STAND PART EXPENSE OF PAVING "ARTERIES" IS PLAN

Cost-Sharing Scheme Under Consideration — Benefit to Entire City.

Controversies that have arisen over the question of paving Waterloo street south in order to provide a proper road to Victoria Hospital have been to a large extent the reasons for a general revival in interest in the question of the city paying extra portions of pavements on certain streets.

The board of works is even now working out a scheme whereby the city as a whole will bear part of the cost of paving the leading streets into London. These streets, it is proposed, will be named in a special bylaw that will be presented to the council at its next meeting and will include Wharncliffe road south, Ridout street, Wellington road and street, Adelaide street north, Hamilton road, Dundas street east, Oxford street, Wharncliffe road west and Mount Pleasant avenue. Provision will also be made to name certain streets where the city should pay more than flankages, exemptions and street intersections. These latter will be known as special cases and will be similar to Waterloo street, where the city itself uses the street to a large extent with its garbage wagons and as a thoroughfare to the hospital.

The Way 'Round.

Once the bylaw has been prepared and passed by a two-thirds vote of the council it will require a three-fourths vote of the council to reconsider it. This, in actual practice, means that in some future year, if an alderman, for any particular reason, wanted special consideration given to any one street, he could not name it "a leading thoroughfare," or one where special consideration should be made, without securing the votes of three-fourths of the members of the council.

One of the main arguments, and the most effective one, that has been advanced in favor of the definition and assistance of leading streets, is that the ratepayers or property-owners along these said streets should not be asked to bear the full expense of improvements that will benefit the city at large. For instance, it is set forth that if Richmond street north, or any other street for that matter, that comes under the heading of a trade artery, was improved by a permanent pavement, trade from the country would increase and the whole city would benefit. This naturally brings up the point —if the whole city benefits, should not the whole city pay?

Controller J. P. Moore had the whole question of assistance to streets laid over when it was up in the council on Monday evening. He contended that the section of the act under which it was proposed to have the city pay 25 per cent of the actual cost of the paving, over and above the exemptions, street intersections, etc., was not clear. It said "every" street, and this "every" was a stumbling-block, he declared.

In answer to this it is being pointed out that London, prior to the time that ex-Ald. J. G. Richter introduced his local improvement frontage basis system, was paying illegally for one-half of all the sidewalks laid in the city. If it was wrong to do this, and in spite of that fact the city did it, then, it is claimed, the same reasoning can apply in the present case, and that the city, even if it is wrong, can go ahead and name certain streets on which the burden of pavement costs will be lightened.

Ratepayers Benefit Little.

It has been pointed out that while the city actually assumes a large portion of the cost of pavement, the ratepayers on the street affected get little from this assistance. To use Waterloo street south as a specific instance to illustrate this contention: On this street the respective shares of the city and ratepayers are, in round figures, $7,000 and $10,000, respectively. It works out that the city pays approximately 41 per cent of the total pavement charge.

However, in spite of this seemingly large amount the ratepayers do not benefit. Pavements are charged at so much a lineal foot. The city's share is that of street intersections, legal exemptions and flankages. This means that save for the owners of corner lots the ratepayer does not benefit one cent from the city's assumption of part of the cost. The corner-lot owner benefits to the extent of the flankages. The other owners pay the whole shot, or some many lineal feet whatever frontage they may own.

SAW LONDON LIEUTENANT

Sergt. Lee With 18th Battalion Writes From England.

While off on a stroll, at the English troop camp, during leave of absence, Sergeant Maurice Lee, who left this city with the 18th Battalion, came across Lieut. Chester Butler, who with other wounded soldiers, was out for a spin in a motor, donated to the hospital authorities by Lady Mason, according to a letter received by a relative. The trip over was uneventful and now that the members of the battalion are quartered in England, they wish to move on and all are hoping that they will soon be placed on the firing line.

In his letter, Sergeant Lee states that all the members of the battalion are enjoying the best of health.

WILLIAM'S BODY SENT TO SARNIA FOR BURIAL

Remains of Man Found Dead in Ravine Forwarded for Interment.

The remains of David Williams, the elderly man whose body was found in a ravine Sunday afternoon by trainmen, near the Grand Trunk tracks at Hyde Park, and who was identified by Coroner Dr. Mitchell's jury as having been a resident of Sarnia, were forwarded to that city on the 8:20 o'clock Grand Trunk express, last night, by George E. Logan, undertaker. Burial will be made today.

When the jury viewed the remains Monday afternoon, it was thought that death had been due to a stroke. The inquest will be resumed on June 1, at Hyde Park.

GLOWING TRIBUTE PAID TO SOLDIERS BY W. M. SOCIETY

President Lauds Dauntless Courage of Canadians in Recent Fighting.

YEAR'S WORK REVIEWED

Band of Women Forging Ahead in World-Wide Mission Work.

The presidential address of Mrs. Gordon Wright constituted the chief feature of the Women's Missionary Society convention public meeting last night in Askin Street Methodist Church. Mrs. Wright designated it "a heart-to-heart talk with the members of the branch. The speaker recalled with gratitude the progress that had been made by the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church of Canada since its organization 33 years ago. Beginning with two missionaries at that time, one at Fort Simpson, the other in Japan, during 1913-14 the society was supporting 119 missionaries, in addition to some hundred Bible women and associates. Sketch after sketch was drawn to illustrate the wonderful advance in almost every field in the year just closed, and the story vividly told of conversions and baptisms in French Methodist and Indian institutions; of manifold evidences of the power of the gospel in foreign fields; of the splendid work being accomplished in the way of reaching the "strangers within our gates"; the caring for Ruthenian girls in Edmonton. The "big sister" movement extended to foreign-speaking citizens and the educational work, with the object of making "honest, creditable Canadians of the children of the immigrants."

Great Empire Building.

"There are no greater empire builders in the world than the Women's Missionary Societies," she declared, adding, "If ever a nation needed to lay a stable foundation in an unstable year, it is ours."

Representing a society which has as its object the spreading of the knowledge of the Prince of Peace, the president felt assured that no member dare pray for peace on any false foundation. The motherland is bleeding for a righteous cause, and the daughter, too, is sacrificing.

The wonder had come to her some time ago if peace may not be deferred till certain restitution is made. At the time when Israel was oppressed by the Ammorites, the Lord declared that great disaster befell the Israelites because they "harbored an accursed thing and put it among their own stuff." Might history not be repeating itself? Had not governments harbored and placed the liquor traffic among their "stuff," the accursed thing?"

A glowing tribute was paid to the self-sacrifice of Canadian soldiers and sailors and their dauntless courage. Sacrificial service was named "the service that counts and tells," and the branch members called upon to be as self-forgetting and as loyal and brave in serving King Emmanuel as have been the soldiers in serving King George and the cause for which the empire is at war.

Windsor to the Fore.

In her report, Mrs. Tennant, London, branch corresponding secretary, explained the duties of the district organizers, and warmly praised their faith and indomitable perseverance. Ten new auxiliaries have been added this year, making 189 in all. Windsor carries the banner for making the most gain of our new auxiliaries. The official organ, The Outlook, goes into 1,675 homes, and deep interest has been taken in the study book for the past year, The Child in Our Midst. Two young ladies have been appointed missionaries by the branch, Miss Ellen Ferguson, of Sarnia, designated to a field in Alberta, and Miss Beulah M. Shepley, to a station in China.

For the membership of the auxiliaries, circles and bands, the corresponding secretary "would covet spiritual life."

While regretting the absence of the treasurer, Mrs. Beal, the acting treasurer, Mrs. Marlatt, of St. Thomas, rejoiced that she had been privileged to undertake the work for a few months. It had taught her to understand the greatness of the motherhood of Western Ontario. One treasurer wrote her: "My heart is heavy tonight; my boy is on the firing line."

Another mother could scarcely add, so great was her anxiety. She felt it was almost more than she could bear. "But," said Mrs. Marlatt, "these mothers were faithful under the most trying circumstances, and not a single error occurred in their reports."

In round numbers, $20,300 has been raised by the London branch in the past year. Auxiliaries, circles and bands have exceeded previous efforts, though there has been a slight retrogression as far as the total is concerned, owing to a natural falling off in outside donations in consequence of the many patriotic calls of the past year.

Devotional exercises were conducted by the pastor of the church, Rev. W. H. Harvey, who also acted as chairman for the evening. In the absence of Mrs. John Cottam, appointed to the task, a gracious address of welcome was given by Mrs. W. H. Harvey, on behalf of the London Methodist ladies, Mayor Stevenson conveying the civic welcome to the visitors. Mrs. Douglas, Wardsville, made a fitting reply.

A pleasing ceremony was the introduction of two missionaries, Miss Edith Campbell, returned missionary from China, and Miss Edith P. Sparling, returned missionary from Japan.

Acceptable music was rendered by the choir, and a pleasing solo contributed by Miss Vivian.

Note.—A list of delegates to the convention is published on the woman's page of this issue.

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GERMANS WITHIN CANADA ARE LOYAL, SAYS ONE OF THEM

Hanover Businessman Writes an Effective Letter to the Press.

ASHAMED OF BARBARITIES

Flying of German Flag Over Canada Would Be a Catastrophe.

Are German-Canadians disloyal to Britain? A complete answer to this question appears in a letter to the Toronto Star from Daniel Knechtel, of Hanover. Mr. Knechtel says:

I am over 70 years of age; and my father, when a very young man, came from Germany and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, where I was born. I came to Hanover, Grey County, fifty years ago, without capital save a good sound body and a determination to succeed, if economy and industry could bring success. I have succeeded to such an extent that I am now president and a chief shareholder of the Knetchel Furniture Company, Limited, having large factories in Hanover, Walkerton, and Southampton, with some of the most prominent and best-known British-Canadian citizens of Hanover as fellow-shareholders; and am also president and manager of the Hanover Portland Cement Company, Limited.

Business Success in Canada.

As with very many other German-Canadians, my business success has been much greater than I would have been at all likely to have achieved had I started life in Germany under the same disadvantage of lack of capital, and I acknowledge with gratitude the success I have had and the kindnesses I have received as a Canadian citizen, and my contentment under Britain's flag. I have never been in Germany and have no connection with Germany in any way, and have no desire that the flag of Germany shall ever fly over Canadian soil; fully realizing that such a thing would be a catastrophe and would largely curtail the liberty, freedom, and privileges of every citizen of this Dominion. I have no sympathy whatever with such atrocities as the sinking of the Lusitania, the use of poison by the German army, or the killing or wounding of innocent women and children in the name of war. It is not war, it is foul and inexcusable murder.

Ashamed of German Barbarities.

While ashamed of present German barbarities, I am not ashamed of my German name or German descent, and you would not respect me if I were. Like most other Canadians of German descent I am descended not from the military-mad Germany of today, but from a Germany of better days, of higher ideals, and of nobler pursuits; and for the German people of Canada I ask, even in these sad, gloomy, and excitable war times, and unquestionably wrong German acts, for which we German-Canadians are in no way responsible, British justice and British fair-play.

In Hanover we have a population of about 3,000, 80 per cent of whom are of German descent, and there are few Ontario towns more loyal or more practical in their loyalty; and in expressions and proofs of loyalty our German-Canadians do not lag.

Fighting for Britain.

To Hanover's generous patriotic fund, German-Canadian companies and individuals were among the largest contributors, and numerically were in proportion to their total of population. Several of our German-Canadian citizens have sons at the front fighting to maintain the Union Jack. A son of one of my brothers is in General French's army; a father and son, German-Canadians, named Seim, from near Hanover, are now at the front fighting for Britain; a young Hanover German-Canadian named Jucksch, one of the second contingent, is now on his way to the front.

The regent of the Imperial Order of Daughters of Empire here, which has done a great deal of patriotic work along many lines, will be able to assure you that a large number of the members of the order in Hanover are German-Canadians, and that they are no less industrious or enthusiastic and devoted in the work of the order than are any other of the ladies.

Aid for Cliveden Hospital.

Mrs. William Ruttle's gymnasium class at Hanover recently gave an entertainment here for patriotic purposes, and from the proceeds fifty dollars was sent to establish a cot at Cliveden, the Duchess of Connaught's hospital in the south of England, twenty dollars further for surgical supplies for the same hospital, and fifteen dollars was sent directly to our boys at the front with which to purchase comforts. Those who took part in the program and those who attended the entertainment were largely German-Canadians.

A few days ago a commercial traveler visited a Hanover shoe store, where he had been in the habit of making sales, and, probably thinking thereby to increase his order, began to talk to the German-Canadian manager of the store in a manner disloyal to, and desparagingly of Britain. The German-Canadian manager refused to buy, and, further, told the traveler that he would never buy a dollar's worth of goods from him again.

There has just come to Mr. John Manto, a German-Canadian artisan of Hanover, word that his son, fighting in France or Belgium, side by side with British Canadian soldiers, has been dangerously wounded in action. Shall British Canadians add to the sorrow of this brave lad's father and mother the additional sorrow of being despised or suspected because of their German name?

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To the Editor of the Woman's Page of The Advertiser:

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By opening your pages to a free expression of opinion, inviting your readers, parent, working girl, employer or school teacher, to frankly state their views upon this very difficult subject you will give very material help to the National Council of Women in its efforts to arrive at some hopeful solution of the problem how best, through its several local branches, to protect the young girls who either thoughtlessly or willfully expose themselves to harmful influences by their misuse of a liberty which no wise parent would knowingly accord them.

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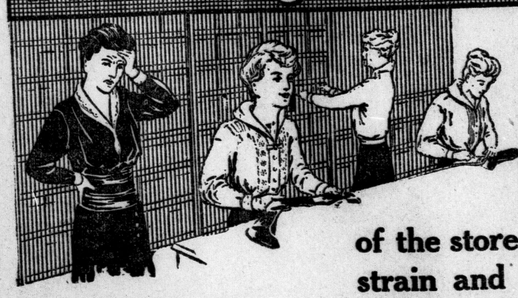
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